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OFFICERS OF THE INSTITUTION.

Patron.—Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States.

President.—Percival Hall, M. A., Litt. D.

Secretary.—Rev. Ulysses G. B. Pierce.

Treasurer.—H. Ralph Burton.

Directors.—Hon. Atlee Pomerene, Senator from Ohio; Hon. John E. Raker, Member of Congress from California; Hon. S. G. Porter, Member of Congress from Pennsylvania; representing the Congress of the United States. Theodore W. Noyes, Esq., Charles Herbert Stockton, LL. D., Martin A. Knapp, LL. D., David Jayne Hill, LL. D., citizens of the District of Columbia; John B. Wight and Ernest G. Draper, citizens of New York, the president and the secretary of the institution.

FACULTY AND OFFICERS OF GALLAUDET COLLEGE, 1919-20.

President and professor of applied mathematics and pedagogy.—Percival Hall, M. A., Litt. D.

Vice president and professor of languages.—Edward Allen Fay, M. A., Ph. D., Sc. D., Litt. D.

Professor of English and history.—John Burton Hotchkiss, M. A., Litt. D.

Professor of natural science.—Charles Russell Ely, M. A., Ph. D.

Professor of English and biology.—Herbert E. Day, M. A.

Professor of mathematics and engineering.—Isaac Allison, E. E.

Professor of Latin and English.—Elizabeth Peet, B. A.

Assistant professor of Latin and natural science.—Victor O. Skyberg, M. A.

Instructor in mathematics and physical director.—Frederick H. Hughes, M. A.

Assistant professor of agriculture.—Harley D. Drake, B. A., M. S.

Emeritus instructor in drawing.—Arthur D. Bryant, B. Ph.

Instructor in English and history.—Irving S. Fustfeld, M. A.

Instructor in applied art and drawing, and in charge of college women.—Charlotte E. Weiss.

Librarian and instructor in gymnastics.—Edith M. Nelson, M. A.

Instructor in printing.—James Y. Johnson.

Registrar and secretary to the president.—Lois Herrington.

DEPARTMENT OF ARTICULATION AND NORMAL INSTRUCTION, 1919-20.

In charge.—Percival Hall, M. A., Litt. D.

Instructors.—Sarah Harvey Porter, M. A., Annie E. Jameson, Arthur L. Roberts, M. A.

Normal fellows.—Leslie M. Brown, B. A.,¹ Dartmouth College; Olive Aida Whildin, B. A., Goucher College.

Normal student.—Jerome Hicks, Randolph-Macon Institute, Virginia.

FACULTY OF THE KENDALL SCHOOL, 1919-20.

President.—Percival Hall, M. A., Litt. D.

Principal.—Arthur L. Roberts, M. A.

Instructors.—Helen Fay, Grace Ely, Grace Coleman, B. A., Mary Deem, Ida Gaarder.

Instructor in sewing and cooking.—Agnes E. Suman.

Instructor in art and manual training.—Margaret E. Wafter.

Instructor in carpentry.—Norman Herrington.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT, 1919-20.

Supervisor and disbursing agent.—Louis L. Hooper, M. A.

Attending physician.—H. H. Donnally, M. D.

Dentist.—Elliott Hunt, D. D. S.;¹ Charles V. Stieffel, D. D. S.

Matron, Gallaudet College.—Mrs. Cora V. Troup.

Boys' matron, Kendall School.—Mrs. Arthur L. Roberts.

Girls' matron, Kendall School.—Miss Iona White.

Girls' supervisor.—Ruth Atkins.

Boys' supervisor.—Robey Burns.

Master of shop.—Norman Herrington.

Gardener.—Edward Mangum.

Farm manager.—Harley D. Drake, M. S.

Chief engineer.—W. J. Muir.

¹ Resigned during the year.

REPORT OF THE COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF,
KENDALL GREEN,
Washington, D. C., September 1, 1920.

SIR: During the fiscal year July 1, 1919, through June 30, 1920, there were under instruction in the advanced department of the institution, known as Gallaudet College, 70 men and 56 women, a total of 126, representing the District of Columbia, Canada, and 33 States. This is an increase of 20 compared with the preceding year.

In the primary department, known as the Kendall School, there were under instruction 28 boys and 30 girls, a total of 58. This is an increase of 7 compared with the preceding year. Of the total in this department, 45 were admitted as beneficiaries of the District of Columbia.

There were admitted to the institution 30 females and 36 males; discharged 25 males and 32 females.

A list of names of students and pupils who have been under instruction since July 1, 1919, and a list of those admitted for the school year 1920-21 will be found appended to this report.

HEALTH.

During the fall and early part of the winter of 1919 there were a few mild cases of grippe among our students, but none resulted seriously. There were three cases of appendicitis requiring operation. A double operation for the removal of stones from kidneys was also successfully carried out for one of the students of the advanced department. There were two operations for tonsillectomy. We were very fortunate in all of these serious operations to have the outcome entirely successful.

One case of diphtheria brought in from outside our institution occurred in the Kendall School. Cultures taken from all the students of the institution showed four carriers, none of whom was really ill and none of whom, as far as could be found, conveyed the disease to other students or pupils.

Two fractures of the forearm, caused by falls, were reduced.

Dental work at cost was carried out throughout the year in our own dental room with marked improvement in the general condition of the teeth of our students and pupils.

Except for the unusual number of surgical cases, the health of the students on the whole was good.

Examinations of milkers employed in our dairy were made regularly during the year and samples of milk submitted to the health department a number of times for bacteriological examination. The dairy herd was tested and found for the third year to be free from

tuberculosis, and on June 15 a certificate from the Department of Agriculture of tuberculosis-free accredited herd was issued to our institution.

An examination of the food supply and kitchens was made during the year by Miss Mildred Gordon, of the District public schools, at the request of the president of the institution. A number of valuable suggestions were obtained in this manner. The report showed, in general, good service and a sufficient quantity and variety of food for the needs of the pupils.

At the close of the fiscal year under review the board of directors voted to require a physical examination from all candidates desiring to enter the advanced department of the institution.

CHANGES IN THE CORPS OF OFFICERS AND TEACHERS.

During the winter Dr. Edward Allen Fay, vice president of the college, expressed a desire to be relieved of a number of his regular duties because of advanced age. The board of directors voted to make him vice president emeritus beginning October 1, 1920, to grant him the sum of \$1,500 per year recently given to the institution by Mr. W. H. Childs, of New York, for the benefit of retiring professors or teachers in the college, and to allow him the use of his residence and additional compensation for a limited amount of work of instruction in the higher department.

Dr. Charles R. Ely was appointed vice president, to take effect October 1, 1920.

At the close of the fiscal year Miss Annie E. Jameson, instructor in articulation for 14 years, resigned to retire from the profession. Her work will be divided for the coming year among the present instructors, the special duty of teaching the normal students the art of speech teaching being assigned to Miss Grace Coleman.

Mr. Robey Burns, supervisor of boys in the Kendall School, resigned to enter business. His place has been filled by the appointment of John G. Young.

In accordance with a vote of the board of directors, the president of the institution was authorized to employ an instructor in domestic science for the young women of the advanced department. Miss Cornelia H. Rauch, a graduate of Hood College, has been appointed to take charge of the domestic science work and to relieve Miss Nelson of the work in physical training.

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

The course of instruction was added to at the beginning of the school year just closed by the introduction of special instruction for one term in the use of the library. This course was given for the benefit of the entering class in the advanced department.

Fifteen young women of this department were also given the benefit of special instruction in typewriting in order to make it more easily possible for them to obtain clerical positions.

Arrangements have been made for the coming school year for special instruction in domestic science for the young women of Gallaudet College.

In the Kendall School the course of instruction has remained substantially as reported heretofore.

LECTURES.

The following special lectures have been delivered during the year:

IN THE COLLEGE.

What Doctors and Medicines Cannot Do (a health talk).....	Dr. Hotchkiss
Evolution.....	Dr. Ely
Emergencies, and How to Treat Them.....	Prof. Day
Lost.....	Prof. Allison
Manners, Good and Bad.....	Miss Peet
Vocational Training for Disabled Soldiers.....	Mr. Skyberg
The Motion Picture—Its Development and Influence (illustrated).....	Mr. Hughes
The Menace to Civilization—Bolshevism.....	Mr. Fufeld
The Milk of Cattle.....	Mr. Drake

IN THE KENDALL SCHOOL.

If I were King.....	Mr. Roberts
The Lady of the Lake.....	Miss Gaarder
Huckleberry Finn.....	Mr. Brown
The Courtship of Miles Standish.....	Mr. Burns
The Tinder Box.....	Miss Coleman
Legends of the Rhine.....	Miss Whildin
Pollyanna.....	Miss Hicks
The King of the Golden River.....	Miss Deem
Swedish Fairy Tales.....	Miss Atkins

FINANCES.

Statement by the disbursing agent of receipts and expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920.

	Receipts.	Expenses.		Receipts.	Expenses.
COMMISSARY STORES.			FARM. ¹		
Salaries.....		\$571.00	Salaries.....		\$3,197.80
Supplies.....		167.27	Supplies.....	\$1.73	1,019.68
Equipment.....		.75	Feed.....	32.41	5,077.34
Merchandise.....		13,244.47	Plants and seeds.....		274.35
Sundries.....	\$85.12	2.34	Equipment.....	20.00	146.35
Total.....	85.12	13,985.83	Live stock.....	586.10	411.00
			Care of live stock.....		126.38
			Sundries.....	64.57	28.11

¹ The account for the year of the farm in its relation with the other parts of the institution was as follows:

DEBITS.

Board and laundry of farm hands.....	\$108.00
Repairs.....	721.67
Sundries.....	20.48
Total.....	1,150.15

CREDITS.

Milk.....	\$5,343.26
Board of horses.....	336.00
Fruits and vegetables.....	295.88
Live stock.....	121.41
Poultry and eggs.....	1,396.30
Sundries.....	40.24
Total.....	8,836.09
Total debits.....	8,836.09
Total credits.....	1,150.15
Credit balance.....	7,685.94

NOTE.—The following item was included in the financial statement for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919, and is not included in the above statement:

\$1,279.65 expended Aug. 6, 1919, on account of the 1918-19 appropriation.

The sum of \$6,500 which was appropriated in the deficiency bill of June 5, 1920, and was received June 22, 1920, is included in the receipts as given above; as it will be expended after July 1, 1920, it is not included in the expenses as given above, but will be included in the expenses of the financial statement for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921.

Statement by the disbursing agent of receipts and expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920—Continued.

	Receipts.	Expenses.		Receipts.	Expenses.
FARMS—continued.			GALLAUDET COLLEGE.		
Repairs.....		\$188.78	Salaries.....	\$2.50	\$33,663.69
Milk.....	\$2,042.72		Supplies.....	17.23	983.89
Board of horses.....	4.47		Food.....	12.28	9,456.80
Fruits and vegetables.....	14.53		Equipment.....	32.94	1,019.74
Poultry and eggs.....	528.66		Doctors and medicines.....	306.70	1,788.50
Total.....	3,295.19	11,399.79	Tuition.....	5,690.00	100.00
IMPROVEMENTS, RENEWALS, AND REPAIRS.			Sundries.....		387.63
Salaries.....		5,696.08	Library.....		352.17
Supplies.....	75.00	3,085.43	Laboratory.....	1.62	119.57
Equipment.....	.25	123.54	Printing plant.....	2,401.01	1,715.17
Sundries.....		3.83	Total.....	8,464.28	49,617.16
Contract.....	52.39	3,470.07	LAUNDRY.		
Total.....	127.55	12,378.95	Salaries.....		1,751.18
KENDALL SCHOOL.			Supplies.....		580.75
Salaries.....		10,602.35	Equipment.....		34.87
Supplies.....	.70	411.87	Sundries.....	20.53	9.86
Food.....		2,174.20	Total.....	20.53	2,376.66
Equipment.....	5.81	1,227.97	PARKING.		
Doctors and medicines.....	73.25	595.23	Salaries.....		4,117.76
Tuition.....	4,141.00		Supplies.....		519.40
Sundries.....		59.72	Equipment.....		101.45
Total.....	4,220.76	15,071.34	Sundries.....	325.65	77.17
NORMAL DEPARTMENT.			Contracts and teaming.....	9.50	145.60
Salaries.....		1,589.30	Board and care of horses.....		23.00
Sundries.....		4.60	Total.....	335.15	4,984.38
Total.....		1,593.90	SPECIAL REPAIRS.		
OFFICE AND ADMINISTRATION.			Salaries.....		661.93
Salaries.....		9,057.11	Supplies.....		258.56
Supplies.....	.30	28.59	Contracts.....		1,079.51
Equipment.....	50.85	124.41	Total.....		2,000.00
Sundries.....		33.20	MISCELLANEOUS.		
Communication service.....	186.19	887.97	Merchandise.....	853.14	692.37
Total.....	237.34	10,131.28	Sundries.....	191.46	202.52
HEAT, LIGHT, AND POWER.			Traveling.....	2.68	681.12
Salaries.....		3,478.10	United States appropria- tions.....	127,379.87	
Supplies.....		121.69	Total.....	128,427.15	1,576.01
Coal.....		6,507.67	Grand total.....		
Gas.....		1,074.88		145,417.87	139,392.43
Equipment.....		34.82	RECAPITULATION OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES.		
Sundries.....		28.69	Salaries.....	2.50	75,087.63
Total.....		11,245.85	Supplies.....	144.40	33,577.75
AUTOMOBILES.			Equipment.....	572.40	4,015.07
Salaries.....		701.33	United States appropria- tions.....	127,379.87	
Supplies.....	1.25	382.69	Tuition.....	9,831.00	100.00
Gasoline and oil.....	3.50	539.40	Merchandise.....	938.26	13,069.11
Equipment.....	200.05	790.17	Sundries.....	6,549.44	13,542.87
Sundries.....		121.08	Total.....	145,417.87	139,392.43
Repairs.....		496.61	Total receipts.....	145,417.87	
Total.....	204.80	3,081.28	Total expenses.....		139,392.43
			Cash on hand July 1, 1919.....	1,483.63	
			Cash on hand June 30, 1920.....		7,509.07
			Grand total.....	146,901.50	146,901.05

Statement of the treasurer for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1920.

GENERAL FUND.

July 1, 1919:		
By balance.....		\$251. 01
By treasurer's check on the Home Savings Bank, refund of amount advanced Mar. 18, 1919, account of general expenses.....	300. 00	
By 2 Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. coupons, at \$25.....	50. 00	
By 8 Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Co. coupons, at \$22.50.....	180. 00	
By 2 Riggs Realty Co. coupons, at \$12.50.....	25. 00	
By 4 United States Liberty bond coupons, at \$10.....	40. 00	
By 6 months' interest to Dec. 31, 1919, on balance, Union Trust Co....	16. 06	
By 6 months' interest to June 30, 1920, on balance, Union Trust Co. ..	18. 34	
Dec. 31, 1920: To H. Ralph Burton, bookkeeping expenses, treasurer's office, to Dec. 31, 1919.....	\$50. 00	
Mar. 22, 1920: To American Surety Co. of New York, premium on bond of treasurer to Mar. 19, 1920.....	25. 00	
Apr. 12, 1920: To Union Trust Co., rent of safe deposit box to Apr. 6, 1921.....	4. 00	
June 30, 1920: To balance.....	801. 41	
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	880. 41	880. 41
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MANUAL LABOR FUND.

July 1, 1919:		
By balance.....		92. 90
By treasurer's check on the Home Savings Bank, refund of amount advanced Mar. 18, 1919, on account of salary of manual-training teacher.....	700. 00	
By 8 Southern Railway Co. coupons, at \$25.....	200. 00	
By 2 Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Co. coupons, at \$22.50.....	45. 00	
June 30, 1920: To balance.....	\$1, 037. 90	
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	1, 037. 90	1, 037. 90
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MEMORIAL ART FUND.

July 1, 1919:		
By balance.....		120. 95
By 2 United States Liberty bond coupons.....	4. 25	
By 2 Washington Railway & Electric Co. coupons, at \$10.....	20. 00	
June 30, 1920: To balance.....	\$145. 20	
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	145. 20	145. 20
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Summary of balances June 30, 1920.

General fund.....	801. 41	
Manual-labor fund.....	1, 037. 90	
Memorial-art fund.....	145. 20	
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Total.....	1, 984. 51	

PHYSICAL NEEDS.

Since the erection of the new women's dormitory, completed at about the time of the entrance of the United States in the war, it has been our endeavor to carry on the institution as economically as possible and still give the instruction required by our students and pupils. The time has come, however, when the question of new buildings, repairs, and improvements should be looked at from the larger standpoint of both present needs and future growth and plans made to meet these requirements.

In the near future the following new buildings should be provided for the institution:

1. An administration building to accommodate the present offices of the president, faculty, and disbursing agent, together with store-rooms, library, auditorium, and alumni rooms. All of these offices and rooms are now located in the college men's dormitory, some of them in unsuitable quarters. Such an administration building of the type of the new college women's dormitory, fireproof and modern in all respects, might well be erected to the memory of the founder of the college, Dr. Edward Miner Gallaudet, who was for more than half a century its president.

The alumni of the college department have already suggested such a building and though very limited in their means have pledged some \$10,000 toward its erection. The cost of this structure would be about \$100,000. Its erection would set free quarters for the accommodation of 20 or 30 more young men of the college and put off for years the necessity of an additional dormitory building for them.

The second building needed is a dormitory for the Kendall School. The girls of this department are now housed in one of the old residences formerly occupied by the principal of the Kendall School. They might well be taken care of in the dormitory now used for the Kendall School boys, which is located close to the new dormitory for college women. Changes and repairs in the building would be necessary, but its convenient location in the neighborhood of the school building would make it desirable for the younger girls.

A new building for the Kendall School boys, fireproof and large enough to accommodate 40 children with a number of teachers and officers, should be built near the school building and within easy reach of the present heating and lighting main. Ground for such a building is available.

It should contain a dining room large enough to accommodate all the Kendall School children and a shop for the small boys, to be used instead of the present basement shop in the Kendall School building, which is almost entirely underground. Such a dormitory would cost about \$100,000.

3. Addition to the laboratory building. To provide more classrooms for the collegiate department and space for the housing of valuable botanical and mineralogical collections, an addition to the present laboratory building is needed, containing four or five large rooms with separate entrance. The cost of this building would probably amount to \$35,000.

4. Addition to power house. The present power house was planned to provide heat and light for the old group of main buildings and is already taxed well toward its capacity. Its storage space for coal is limited and not easy of approach by modern trucks. To provide for heat and light for additional buildings and storage room for larger quantities of coal to be delivered directly from trucks, changes in the present power plant as to boiler capacity and bins should be made. This would cost in the neighborhood of \$30,000.

Absolutely necessary repairs to old buildings have been made annually, but as many of these structures are from 40 to 50 years old, extensive improvements and changes are desirable in the near future.

The Kendall School boys' dormitory should be repaired and remodeled for use as a dormitory for Kendall School girls as noted above. Changes in plumbing, improvement in furnishing, and general repairs would cost about \$10,000.

College Hall, the dormitory for young men of the college, is in need of thorough repairing of interior woodwork and much painting and varnishing. Quarters for the printing office should be enlarged and, on the erection of a new administration building, additional furniture and equipment with necessary changes for dormitory use should be made. Twenty thousand dollars would cover the expense for improvements, equipment, and alterations.

Houses 2, 3, 7, 8, and the farmhouse should be wired for electricity so that the occupants may have this modern convenience in the near future. The sum of \$3,000 should provide for such changes.

The outside woodwork of houses 1, 2, 3, and 4, which date back 40 or more years, is much in need of thorough repairing. This will include blinds, porches, cornices, and window sills. Probably \$12,000 would cover these repairs.

In the same houses the sum of \$3,000 should be expended for new cement floors in the basements.

The farmhouse is one of the oldest buildings now used by our institution. It was originally erected by Amos Kendall considerably over half a century ago. It should be remodeled and provided with additional rooms for farm help and with all modern conveniences. The expense of this work would be at least \$5,000.

Besides new buildings and repairs to old buildings, there is much to be done in connection with the improvement of the grounds of the institution. On West Virginia Avenue there is need for something over half a mile of fencing. At the present time a good post and wire fence would be all that is necessary. This with necessary clearing and draining along this boundary should not cost more than \$2,000.

The roadways within the institution grounds consist partly of gravel, partly of concrete, and partly of asphalt. There is over half a mile of asphalt roadway varying from 12 to 14 feet in width and not provided with curbing or gutters. All of this should be resurfaced and improved by vitrified brick gutter and stone or concrete curbing. This improvement would probably cost \$20,000.

The two roadways which lead from the front part of the grounds to the farm should be resurfaced and at least one of them carefully graded and macadamized. This could probably be done for \$2,000.

Cement walks in the neighborhood of College Hall and houses 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, to the total approximate length of 600 feet, should be built. This should not cost more than \$1,000.

The lawns and driveways of the front part of the institution grounds were laid out many years ago by Mr. F. L. Olmstead, the noted landscape architect. These plans were followed to a large extent, but the erection of new buildings, the planting of class trees and new shrubbery, together with the enlargement of the area used for building purposes, make it desirable to have in the near future a resurvey of the portion of the grounds fronting on Florida Avenue and extending as far east as Eighth Street, with a view of making changes in the arrangement of shrubbery, taking care of the planting of new trees, extension of walks, driveways, etc. Such plans could be carried out for a modest sum.

The total of all these sums is \$343,000, but when it is considered that the present plant could not be duplicated for less than a million dollars and that buildings and changes mentioned would provide for the physical needs of our institution for many years to come, it would seem reasonable to start a program of building and repairing which would provide in the course of the next few years for all of these improvements.

ESTIMATES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1922.

The following estimates for the fiscal year to end June 30, 1922, have already been submitted:

For the support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, \$125,250.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steamfitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, \$10,000.

For the purchase of 6.2 acres of land between Mount Olivet Road, West Virginia Avenue, and the northeast boundary of the grounds of the institution, at present belonging to Richard E. Pairo, \$12,000.

For the purchase of an automobile truck, \$2,500.

For clearing and draining land along boundary of institution grounds adjacent to West Virginia Avenue and for the erection of a boundary fence, \$2,000.

For a tile drainage system on the farm grounds of the institution, \$2,500.

For the installation of refrigerating plant, \$7,000.

It will be noted that an increase of \$15,000 has been asked for current expenses. Practically this whole additional amount is absolutely necessary in order to place the salaries of the employees of the institution on the proper basis.

Under the ruling of the Comptroller of the Treasury, our employees are not entitled to the bonuses which have been granted to Federal employees.

It has been possible, through small increases made in appropriations recently and through the most rigid economy in management, to increase somewhat the salaries paid to the institution force. At the same time, however, prices of all materials and supplies, such as coal, food, lumber, etc., bought by the institution have increased. Last year the number of pupils and students was increased by 17 per cent, so that it has not been possible to make the increases in salaries that are reasonable and just in consideration of the increased cost of living.

Teachers in the public schools of the District have lately received substantial raises, and it is being recognized that all persons engaged in education throughout the country are deserving of much higher compensation than they have received in recent years.

Our own work is a special one requiring particular skill. It is difficult to obtain officers and employees for our institution at any time, and unless marked increases are made in wages and salaries paid, either the usefulness of the institution must be greatly impaired or employees must make sacrifices as to living standards, which they should not be called upon to do.

Ten years ago the amount appropriated for current expenses was \$77,000. During that period maintenance costs generally have doubled and the increase in the number of pupils and students has been 40 per cent. The increase in appropriations asked for current expenses, therefore, is just, reasonable, and necessary.

In a plant consisting of 24 buildings, with grounds extending over 100 acres, with lawn, extensive driveways, walks, the value of buildings alone amounting to at least \$600,000, the amount granted for repairs should be a minimum of \$10,000. This sum can hardly do the work of the \$5,000 granted 10 years ago, when our buildings were then 10 years further away from the end of their periods of usefulness.

Twelve thousand dollars is asked for the purchase of 6.2 acres of land adjoining our institution grounds on the northeast. This tract is likely to be subdivided and built upon at an early date. Its acquisition by our institution would carry our boundaries to Mount Olivet Road and West Virginia Avenue, making it impossible for undesirable or unsightly buildings to be placed next to our own institution. This land could also be made of great value to our present farm grounds, which are hardly adequate to maintain our dairy herd.

The sum of \$2,500 is asked for the purchase of a small automobile truck, which is badly needed for the hauling of refuse, ashes, and other material from our plant, and for the purpose of delivering supplies from the city and country to our shop, storeroom, and power house.

For a number of years there has been no fence on the eastern boundary of the institution, now West Virginia Avenue. There has always been considerable wet land along this boundary partly grown up with brush. This land could be cleared and drained and a simple post and wire fence of good quality could be provided for \$2,000.

Our farm land has been carefully worked by our farm manager for a number of years past and the soil greatly improved by the proper rotation of crops and by the use of fertilizer produced by the dairy herd. It has also been made more productive by the plowing in of crops which have increased the humus and by the use of clover, cowpeas, and other nitrogen gatherers.

It has been impossible, however, under present conditions to prevent the washing of the soil or to make use of a number of low-lying spaces. A tile drainage system is greatly needed to take care of this condition and to make our farm land more productive. The main part of this work could be done for the \$2,500 asked for.

The cost of ice has mounted steadily in the past few years until it would seem an economy to install our own cooling and ice-manufacturing plant. This could be done for the sum of \$7,000.

CONFERENCE OF SUPERINTENDENTS AND PRINCIPALS.

During the early part of December, 1919, the Conference of Superintendents and Principals of American Schools for the Deaf met at the Ohio State School at Columbus. An interesting program was prepared, covering four days. Special consideration was given to the question of salaries of teachers. It was the unanimous opinion that these should be increased greatly in order to attract and retain capable teachers.

A committee was appointed to act with committees from other associations interested in the education of the deaf to obtain a general survey of schools for the deaf in this country through the assistance of one of our large foundations.

A report on standardization of schools for the deaf was submitted by a committee of the conference and there was considerable discussion of mentality and educational tests for deaf children in order to determine efficiency of school work. The results of several thousand tests given to deaf children were brought out by Dr. Pintner, of the Ohio State University. The president of the institution presented a paper on Gallaudet College explaining its requirements and its relations with the schools.

JOINT MEETING.

A joint meeting of the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf, the American Association to Promote the Teaching of Speech to the Deaf, and the Society of Progressive Oral Advocates was held at Mount Airy, Philadelphia, June 28 to July 3, 1920, inclusive, on the occasion of the one hundredth anniversary of the foundation of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.

Eighteen of the teachers and officers of this institution attended the meeting.

A very interesting program was carried out, including demonstrations of classroom work, papers on various phases of the education of the deaf, lectures by specialists in psychology and child welfare.

One day was set aside particularly for the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Mount Airy School. The president of the institution and Mr. F. H. Hughes, instructor in the college, were invited to take part in this special program, and a paper was also read by Mr. J. A. McIlvaine, of the class of 1893, a graduate of both the Mount Airy School and the college.

Papers on the general program were given on the Normal Work of the College by Miss Annie E. Jameson, on Preparation in English by Prof. H. E. Day, and on the Sign Language at Gallaudet College by Dr. J. B. Hotchkiss of our faculty. Mr. A. L. Roberts, principal of our Kendall School, also took part in the formal discussion of a paper on the Teaching of English in Schools for the Deaf.

The president of the institution was reelected president of the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf, Prof. Day was appointed assistant secretary, and Mr. Irving S. Fusfeld of the college was elected by the executive committee of the Conference of Superintendents and Principals to be editor of the American Annals of the Deaf.

EXERCISES OF PRESENTATION DAY.

The fifty-sixth public anniversary of the collegiate department was held in the college chapel on Wednesday, May 5. Dr. J. Stanley Durkee, president of Howard University, offered the opening prayer.

Orations given by members of the graduating class were as follows:

"Salt," by Armand Stephen Courrege, of Louisiana.

"Child Labor," by Mary Belle Logan, of Oklahoma.

"Revival of American Taste in Interior Decoration," by Kelly Haygood Stevens, of Texas.

Candidates for degrees were presented by President Hall, Vice President Fay, and Dr. Ely, as follows:

For the degree of master of science.

Isaac Goldberg, B. S., 1888, Gallaudet.

For the degree of master of arts.

Charles D. Seaton, B. A., 1893, Gallaudet.

Henry Jeremiah Pulver, B. A., 1917, Gallaudet.

For the degree of bachelor of pedagogy.

Olive Aida Whildin, B. A., 1919, Goucher College.

For the degree of bachelor of arts.

Miriam Caroline Flenner.

Wendell Haley.

Mary Belle Logan.

Eunice Dorothea Post.

Emily Ellen Sterck.

Kelly Haygood Stevens.

Walter Pittman Valiant.

For the degree of bachelor of science.

George Henry Davies.

George Hall Whitworth.

Powell Jones Wilson.

For the degree of bachelor of philosophy.

Harry Vern Barnett.

Armand Stephen Courrage.

Normal department certificate of graduation.

Jerome Hicks, Randolph-Macon Institute.

Hon. Leslie M. Shaw, ex-governor of Iowa and ex-Secretary of the Treasury, delivered a very interesting address to the graduating class and friends of the college.

The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Oliver J. Whildin, Episcopal minister to the deaf, Baltimore.

CONFERRING OF DEGREES.

On the closing day of the term, June 23, 1920, degrees and certificates were conferred in accordance with the recommendations of presentation day.

The honorary degree of master of arts was conferred upon Mr. Jonathan Holbrook Eddy, a deaf teacher of wide experience and high character, for many years connected with the Arkansas Deaf-Mute Institute, and upon Mr. Isaac B. Gardner, principal of the New York Institution for the Deaf, who has given many years of service to the work of educating deaf children and is now chairman of the Conference of Superintendents and Principals of American Schools for the Deaf.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

PERCIVAL HALL,
President.

THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR,
Washington, D. C.

APPENDIX A.

CATALOGUE OF STUDENTS AND PUPILS, BY STATES, 1919-20.

IN THE COLLEGE.

- Alabama:
 Franke, Emma.
 Harrell, Josephine.
 Rollings, Ollie.
- Arizona:
 Bible, Lenore.
- California:
 Benedict, Edwin.
 Guire, Oscar.
 Valiant, Walter.
 Whitworth, George.
- Colorado:
 Barnett, Vern.
 Frewing, Robert.
 Teitelbaum, Bernie.
 Wilson, Powell.
- Connecticut:
 Baldwin, Clarence.
 Bouchard, Joseph.
 Lewis, Florence.
 Santin, Mario.
- District of Columbia:
 Werdig, Robert.
- Florida:
 Jones, Uriel.
 Randall, Laurence.
 Wilson, Lalla.
- Illinois:
 Cherry, Ladislav.
 Cohen, Jacob.
- Iowa:
 Marty, John.
 Rebal, Frank.
- Kansas:
 Lahn, Nathan.
 Linton, Pearl.
 Paxton, Lawrence.
- Kentucky:
 Aronovitz, Louis.
 Kannapell, Gordon.
 Kannapell, Robert.
 Tuck, Sara.
- Louisiana:
 Courrege, Armand.
- Maryland:
 Baynes, Harry.
 Daley, Alma.
 Downes, Noah.
 Moss, Elizabeth.
 Moss, Helen.
- Massachusetts:
 Cohen, Blume.
- Michigan:
 Maczkowski, Earl.
- Minnesota:
 Earsley, Etta.
 Lauritsen, Wesley.
 Lauritzen, Thomas.
 Lindholm, Toivo.
 Post, Eunice.
 Rosen, Alex.
 Werner, Maurice.
- Mississippi:
 Gotthelf, John.
 Marshall, Maude.
- Missouri:
 Toner, Isabelle.
- Montana:
 O'Donnell, Arthur.
- Nebraska:
 Anderson, Edith.
 Birk, Cecelia.
 Jensen, Tilla.
 Horn, Gertrude.
 Kilcoyne, Catherine.
 Lee, Fred.
 Maxwell, Estella.
 Netusil, Anton.
- New Jersey:
 Dobbins, Charles.
 Higgins, Matthew.
- New York:
 Funk, John.
 Herdtfelder, August.
 Kirby, John.
 Lewis, Gertrude.
 May, William.
 Orman, James.
 Pusrin, Bella.
- North Carolina:
 Thomas, Carrie.
- North Dakota:
 Francis, Doris.
 Haley, Wendell.
- Ohio:
 Durrant, Dorothy.
 Glaser, Corinne.
 La Fountain, Lewis.
 McConnell, Eugene.
 Pence, Helen.
 Risley, Gladys.
 Sattler, Madeline.
 Toskey, Katherine.
 Williams, Roger.
- Oklahoma:
 Griffing, Theodore.
 Logan, Mary Belle.
 Stephens, Alfred.

*Catalogue of Students and Pupils, by States, 1919-20—Continued.***IN THE COLLEGE—Continued.****Oregon:**

Dodd, Julia.

Pennsylvania:

Connor, Fred.

Davies, George.

Flenner, Miriam.

Harmon, Edward.

Harmon, Marion.

Hassett, Elizabeth.

Klaits, Mary.

Markel, Harland.

Miller, Gertrude.

Rogalsky, Samuel.

Schrager, Charles.

Sterek, Emily.

Stilwell, Helen.

Zimble, Nathan.

South Carolina:

Boatwright, John.

Boatwright, Sophie.

Bradley, Isabelle.

Clarkson, Ella.

Edwards, Weinona.

Hartin, Archie.

Roper, La Reinie.

Smoak, Frank.

South Dakota:

Mills, Anson.

Sauvage, Esther.

Tennessee:

Lucado, Ida May.

Lucado, Prentis.

Rittenberg, Sam.

Texas:

Stevens, Kelly.

Washington:

Genner, Andrew.

McNeal, Edwin.

Robinson, Genevieve.

Scipp, John.

Wisconsin:

Bausch, Anna.

Bristol, Gordon.

Hansmann, Meta.

Langenberg, Ernest.

Weiss, Leonard.

Canada:

Creighton, Lucy.

McShane, Muriel.

Matthew, Gordon.

Nicholson, Ethelwynne.

Rosenroll, Richelda.

Stinson, Kathleen.

Total in the college..... 126

IN THE KENDALL SCHOOL.**Delaware:**

Ellingsworth, Ida.

Lynch, Edward.

Roberts, Pearl.

District of Columbia:

Anderson, Lillian.

Ball, Annie.

Berman, Frank.

Bostwick, Mabel.

Cicchino, Tony.

Cissel, Willie.

Clum, Marjorie.

Coe, William.

Covington, Alice.

Craven, Jack.

Crump, Edward.

Culverwell, Esther.

Curtis, Raymond.

De Grange, Arietta.

Dunn, Delma.

Glorius, Frances.

Higgins, Thelma.

Hill, Dorothy.

Hospital, Dixon.

Kleindienst, Maurice.

Lowe, Grace.

McCall, Rozelle.

Miller, Frances.

Miller, Mildred.

Miller, Thomas.

Minter, Lee.

Moore, Agnes.

Moore, Cecil.

District of Columbia—Continued.

Neitzey, Annie.

Norcia, Rosie.

Panholzer, Mary.

Pearson, Pearl.

Pucci, Luigi.

Rafferty, William.

Ramsay, William.

Reid, Florence.

Rodeheaver, Margaret.

Scott, Carlisle.

Sharp, Evelyn.

Sharp, William.

Stancliffe, Walton.

Wheeler, Clara.

Wortman, Robert.

Wuerdemann, Frank.

Zimmerman, Woodrow.

North Carolina:

Wolfe, Walker.

Ohio:

Krohn gold, Walter.

Virginia:

Angel, Virginia.

De Ruchie, Harold.

Penn, John.

West Virginia:

Gollner, Catherine.

Smith, Kathleen.

Canada:

Isherwood, Sarah.

Paulson, Esther.

Young, John.

Total in the Kendall School..... 58

STUDENTS AND PUPILS ADMITTED, 1920-21.

IN THE COLLEGE.

California:	Nebraska:
Sowell, Minnie.	Bumann, Helena.
Colorado:	Falk, Charles.
Sandberg, Emma.	Hawkins, Glenn.
Connecticut:	Krohn, Albert.
Danofsky, Harry.	McNeill, Lydia.
Dibble, Ione.	Makowski, Tillie.
Skinner, Elliott.	Mason, Grace.
Iowa:	New Jersey:
Dobson, Mary.	Jackson, Margaret.
Fritze, Geneva.	North Dakota:
Kansas:	Ackerman, Bertha.
Ballance, Doris.	Halvorson, Glenora.
Ferguson, Stanley.	Markstad, Mildred.
Hanis, Andrew.	Ohio:
Stewart, George. ¹	Fischer, Hazel.
Kentucky:	Hogan, Edwin.
Suttka, Adeline.	Turoske, Charles.
Louisiana:	Pennsylvania:
Leclerc, Sydney.	Gusack, Hugh J.
Maryland:	Virginia:
Peebles, Margaret.	Penn, John. ³
Massachusetts:	Yaffey, Benjamin.
Cohen, Rhoda.	Wisconsin:
Total.....	Bodden, Lucille.
	Speich, Lillian.
	Steinke, Kenneth.
	Total.....

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IN THE KENDALL SCHOOL.

District of Columbia:	District of Columbia—Continued.
Blaisdell, Edwin.	Vorhees, Howard.
Clum, Marjorie.	Watson, George.
Cooper, Merrill.	Delaware:
Dolan, James. ²	Lynch, Hilda.
Huffman, Neva.	Lynch, Lemuel.
Looney, Thomas. ²	Philippine Islands:
Moore, Agnes. ²	Santos, Pedro.
Moore, Cecil. ²	West Virginia:
Moore, John.	Smith, Kathleen. ²
Payne, Estelle.	Total.....
Total.....	

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¹ Readmitted to the preparatory class.² Readmitted.³ Transferred from Kendall School.

APPENDIX B.

FACULTY AND OFFICERS OF GALLAUDET COLLEGE, 1920-21.

President and professor of applied mathematics and pedagogy.—Percival Hall, M. A., Litt. D.

Emeritus vice president and professor of languages.—Edward Allen Fay, M. A., Ph. D., Sc. D., Litt. D.

Vice president and professor of natural science.—Charles R. Ely, M. A., Ph. D.

Professor of English and history.—John Burton Hotchkiss, M. A., Litt. D.

Professor of English and biology.—Herbert E. Day, M. A.

Professor of mathematics and engineering.—Isaac Allison, E. F.

Professor of Latin and English.—Elizabeth Peet, B. A.

Assistant professor of Latin and natural science.—Victor O. Skyberg, M. A.

Instructor in mathematics and physical director.—Frederick H. Hughes, M. A.

Assistant professor of agriculture.—Harley D. Drake, B. A., M. S.

Emeritus instructor in drawing.—Arthur D. Bryant, B. Ph.

Instructor in English and history.—Irving S. Fustfeld, M. A.

Instructor in applied art and drawing, and in charge of college women.—Charlotte E. Weiss.

Librarian and instructor in mathematics.—Edith Nelson, M. A.

Instructor in printing.—James Y. Johnson.

Instructor in domestic science.—Cornelia H. Rauch, B. A.

Registrar and secretary to the president.—Lois Herrington.

DEPARTMENT OF ARTICULATION AND NORMAL INSTRUCTION, 1920-21.

In charge.—Percival Hall, M. A., Litt. D.

Instructors.—Sarah Harvey Porter, M. A., Arthur L. Roberts, M. A., Grace Coleman, B. A.

Normal students.—Constance Hildreth, Drexel Institute; Mabel Whildin, Eastern High School, Baltimore.

FACULTY OF THE KENDALL SCHOOL, 1920-21.

President.—Percival Hall, M. A., Litt. D.

Principal.—Arthur L. Roberts, M. A.

Instructors.—Helen Fay, Grace Ely, Grace Coleman, B. A., Mary Deem, Ida Gaarder.

Instructor in sewing and cooking.—Agnes Suman.

Instructor in art and manual training.—Margaret E. Waffter.

Instructor in carpentry.—Norman Herrington.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT, 1920-21.

Supervisor and disbursing agent.—Louis L. Hooper, M. A.

Attending physician.—H. H. Donnally, M. D.

Dentist.—

Matron, Gallaudet College.—Mrs. Cora V. Troup.

Boys' matron, Kendall School.—Mrs. Arthur L. Roberts.

Girls' matron, Kendall School.—Miss Iona White.

Girls' supervisor.—Ruth Atkins.

Boys' supervisor.—James Young.

Master of Shop.—Norman Herrington.

Gardener.—Edward Mangum.

Farm manager.—Harley D. Drake, B. A., M. S.

Chief engineer.—William J. Muir.

APPENDIX C.

THE ACTS OF CONGRESS RELATING TO THE COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

[Act of February 16, 1857, 34th Cong., 3d sess. (11 Stat. L., 161-162).]

An Act To incorporate the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Byron Sunderland, J. C. McGuire, David A. Hall, and George W. Riggs, of Washington City, William Edes and Judson Mitchell, of Georgetown, and Amos Kendall and William Stickney, of the county of Washington, and such persons as may hereafter be associated with them, by contributions for the instruction of the deaf and dumb and the blind, are hereby created a body politic and corporate under the name of the "Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind," to have perpetual succession and be capable to take, hold, and enjoy lands, tenements, hereditaments, and personal property, to use a common seal, and the same to alter at pleasure: *Provided*, That no real or personal property shall be held by said corporation except such as may be necessary to the maintenance and efficient management of said institution.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the institution shall be managed as provided for in its present constitution, and such additional regulations as may from time to time be found necessary; but as soon as sufficient contributions shall have been paid in to authorize an election according to the provisions of said constitution, the provisional officers therein named shall give notice of a general meeting to the contributors for the election of officers, and the officers elected at such general meeting shall hold their offices for one year and until their successors shall be elected as in said constitution provided: *Provided*, That said constitution may be altered in the manner therein provided, but not in such manner as to violate the Constitution or any law of the United States or of the District of Columbia.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the justices of the peace in the several wards of the cities of Washington and Georgetown and of the county of Washington to ascertain the names and residences of all deaf and dumb and blind persons within their respective wards and districts; who of them are of a teachable age, and also who of them are in indigent circumstances, and report the same to the president of the institution hereby incorporated.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That whenever the Secretary of the Interior shall be satisfied by evidence produced by the president of the institution hereby incorporated, that any deaf and dumb or blind person of teachable age properly belonging to this District is in indigent circumstances and can not command the means to secure an education, it shall be his duty to authorize the said person to enter the said institution for instruction, and to pay for his maintenance and tuition therein at the rate of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, for such deaf and dumb pupil, and at the rate of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum for such blind pupil, payable quarterly out of the Treasury of the United States.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That it shall be lawful for said institution to receive and instruct deaf and dumb and blind persons from any of the States and Territories of the United States on such terms as may be agreed upon by themselves, their parents, guardians, or trustees, and the proper authorities of the said institution.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the president and directors of said institution to report to the Secretary of the Interior the condition of said institution on the first day of July in each year, embracing in said report the number of pupils of each description received and discharged during the preceding year, and the number remaining in the institution; also the branches of knowledge and industry taught and the progress made therein; also a statement showing the receipts of the institution and from what sources, and its disbursements and for what objects.

[Act of May 29, 1858, 35th Cong., 1st sess. (11 Stat. L., 293-294).]

An Act To amend the "Act to incorporate the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind," approved February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in addition to the provision made in the above-recited act for the maintenance and tuition of pupils in the said institution the sum of three thousand dollars per annum, payable quarterly, shall be allowed for five years for the payment of salaries and incidental expenses of said institution, and that three thousand dollars be, and is hereby, appropriated for the present fiscal year, payable out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the deaf and dumb and the blind children of all persons in the military or naval service of the United States, while such persons are actually in such service, shall be entitled to instruction in said institution, on the same terms as deaf and dumb and blind children belonging to the District of Columbia.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That all receipts and disbursements under this act shall be reported to the Secretary of the Interior, as required in the sixth section of the act to which this is an amendment.

[Act of June 12, 1858, 35th Cong., 1st sess. (11 Stat. L., p. 321).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and fifty-nine.

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For salaries and incidental expenses of the institution for the instruction of the deaf, dumb, and blind in the District of Columbia, authorized by the act approved May twenty-nine, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight, three thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1859, 35th Cong., 2d sess. (11 Stat. L., p. 428).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the year ending the thirtieth day of June, eighteen hundred and sixty.

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For salaries and incidental expenses of the institution of the deaf, dumb, and blind in the District of Columbia, three thousand dollars.

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[Act of June 13, 1860, 36th Cong., 1st sess. (12 Stat. L., 30-31).]

An Act To dissolve the "Washington's Manual Labor School and Male Orphan Asylum Society of the District of Columbia," and to authorize the transfer of its effects to the "Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the trustees of "Washington's Manual Labor School and Male Orphan Asylum Society of the District of Columbia," incorporated by an act of Congress approved on the thirteenth day of June, eighteen hundred and forty-two, be, and they are hereby, authorized and empowered, by deed or other instrument in writing, to transfer all their funds and property of every description to the "Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind," incorporated by an act of Congress approved February sixteen, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, on such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by said corporate bodies and incorporated in such deed or instrument of writing.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the said deed of transfer or instrument of writing shall be recorded in the recorder's office for land titles, in the county of Washington, and District of Columbia, and the terms and conditions of said deed shall be as obligatory upon said Columbia Institution as if they formed a part of its charter: and from the date of the record thereof, as aforesaid, the trustees of "Washington's Manual Labor School and Male Orphan Asylum Society" shall be forever thereafter absolved from their trust, and the act of June thirteen, eighteen hundred and forty-two, conferring upon them corporate powers and privileges, shall be thenceforward repealed: *Provided,* That all the debts and pecuniary liabilities of the said "Washington's Manual Labor School and Male Orphan Asylum" shall be transferred to, assumed by, and be debts of the said "Columbia Institution for the instruction of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind," which shall be responsible therefor, and suits at law or in equity may be commenced against said last-mentioned corporation the same as if said debts had been originally incurred by it.

[Act of June 25, 1860, 36th Cong., 1st sess. (12 Stat. L., p. 109).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-one.

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Institution of the Deaf, Dumb, and Blind.—For salaries and incidental expenses of the Institution of the Deaf, Dumb, and Blind, in the District of Columbia, three thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 2, 1861, 36th Cong., 2d sess. (12 Stat. L., p. 217).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two.

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Institution of the Deaf, Dumb, and Blind.—For salaries and incidental expenses of the institution of the deaf, dumb, and blind, in the District of Columbia, three thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 15, 1862, 37th Congress, 2d sess. (12 Stat. L., 369-370).]

An Act To amend "An act to incorporate the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind," and to make appropriations for the benefit thereof.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of four thousand four hundred dollars per annum, payable quarterly, shall be allowed for the payment of salaries and incidental expenses of said institution; and that four thousand four hundred dollars be, and is hereby, appropriated, for that purpose, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the sum of nine thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the erection, furnishing, and fitting up of two additions to the buildings of said institutions.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That all receipts and disbursements under this act shall be reported to the Secretary of the Interior, as required in the sixth section of the act to which this is an amendment.

[Act of Mar. 3, 1863, 37th Cong., 3d sess. (12 Stat. L., p. 747).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, and for the year ending the 30th of June, 1863, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf, and Dumb, and the Blind.—For salaries and incidental expenses of said institution, four thousand four hundred dollars.

For supplying the institution buildings with gas-making apparatus and fixtures, one thousand four hundred and seventy dollars.

For supplying the institution buildings with steam-heating apparatus, two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars.

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[Act of Apr. 8, 1864, 38th Cong., 1st sess. (13 Stat. L., 45).]

An Act To authorize the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind to confer degrees.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the board of directors of the Columbia Institution for the instruction of the deaf and dumb and the blind be, and they are hereby, authorized and empowered to grant and confer such degrees in the liberal arts and sciences to such pupils of the institution, or others, who, by their proficiency in learning or other meritorious distinction they shall think entitled to them, as are usually granted and conferred in colleges; and to grant to such graduates diplomas or certificates, sealed and signed in such manner as said board of directors may determine, to authenticate and perpetuate the memory of such graduation.

[Act of July 2, 1864, 38th Cong., 1st sess. (13 Stat. L., p. 349).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind.—For salaries and incidental expenses, embracing, in addition to the objects heretofore provided for in this appropriation, the salary of an additional teacher, construction of a new sewer, and the construction and repairs of fences, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

For continuing the work for the accommodation of the students and inmates in said institution, in addition to the appropriations heretofore made, viz: for the purchase of a tract of improved land, containing about thirteen acres, bordering on Boundary Street of the city of Washington, and adjoining the lot now belonging to the institution, to enable it to instruct the male pupils in horticulture and agriculture, and to furnish sites for mechanic shops and other necessary buildings, twenty-six thousand dollars: *Provided*, That before the purchase of the said thirteen acres is consummated, the owner shall complete the title in fee to the premises now held and occupied by said institution, by executing a release or conveyance of the remainders and reversions now outstanding in him to the said institution.

To bring the Potomac water into the institution from the nearest water mains, or other adequate sources in the city, three thousand two hundred dollars.

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[Act of Feb. 23, 1865, 38th Cong., 2d sess. (13 Stat. L., 436).]

An Act To amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind," approved February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That so much of said act as requires the teaching of the blind in said institution be, and the same is hereby, repealed, and the corporate name and style thereof shall hereafter be "The Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb."

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized to cause all indigent blind children who are now, or may hereafter become entitled, under the law as it now exists, to instruction in said institution, to be instructed in some institution for the education of the blind, in Maryland, or some other State, at a cost not greater for each pupil than is, or may be for the time being, paid by such State, and to cause the same to be paid out of the Treasury of the United States.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall take effect from and after the thirtieth day of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

[Act of Apr. 7, 1866, 39th Cong., 1st sess. (14 Stat. L., p. 21).]

An Act Making additional appropriations and to supply the deficiencies in the appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For salaries and incidental expenses, including five hundred dollars for the purchase of books and illustrative apparatus, twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

For the erection, furnishing, and fitting up of the two extensions to the buildings, to provide enlarged accommodations for the male department, and to furnish rooms for the instruction of the pupils in useful labor, thirty-nine thousand four hundred and forty-five dollars and eighty-seven cents.

For the proper inclosure, grading, and improvement of the grounds of the institution, three thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of July 28, 1866, 39th Cong., 1st sess. (14 Stat. L., p. 317).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For the support of the institution, including five hundred dollars for books and illustrative apparatus, twenty thousand seven hundred dollars.

For the erection, furnishing, and fitting up of two extensions to the buildings, to provide enlarged accommodations for the male and female pupils and the resident officers of the institution, thirty-two thousand two hundred and forty dollars.

For the erection of a brick barn, carriage house, cow house, shop, gas house, and ice house, fourteen thousand five hundred dollars.

For the improvement and inclosure of the grounds of the institution, including underdrainage and sewerage, four thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 2, 1867, 39th Cong., 2d sess. (14 Stat. L., pp. 464-465).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For the support of the institution, including one thousand dollars for books and illustrative apparatus, twenty-five thousand dollars: *Provided*, That deaf-mutes, not exceeding ten in number, residing in the several States and Territories of the United States, applying for admission to the collegiate department of the institution shall be received on the same terms and conditions as those prescribed by law for residents of the District of Columbia, at the discretion of the president of the institution.

For the erection, furnishing, and fitting up of additions to the buildings of the institution, to provide enlarged accommodations for the male and female pupils and the resident officers of the institution, fifty-four thousand six hundred and seventy-five dollars.

For the enlargement and further improvement of the grounds of the institution, including underdrainage, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

To furnish an increased supply of Potomac water and for the erection of tanks to regulate the distribution thereof, five thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the president of the institution.

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[Act of July 27, 1868, 40th Cong., 2d sess. (15 Stat. L., 232-234).]

An Act Making appropriations for the service of the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb, and establishing additional regulations for the government of the institution, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the benefit of the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb:

For the support of the institution, in addition to the existing appropriation to meet the increased expense of maintaining pupils whose admission was authorized by an act of Congress approved March second, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, three thousand dollars.

For continuing the work upon buildings of the institution in accordance with the plans heretofore submitted to Congress, forty-eight thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That in addition to the directors whose appointment has heretofore been provided for by law, there shall be three other directors appointed in the following manner: One Senator by the President of the Senate, and two Representatives by the Speaker of the House; these directors to hold their offices for the term of a single Congress, and to be eligible to a reappointment.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That no part of the real or personal property now held or hereafter to be acquired by said institution shall be devoted to any other purpose than the education of the deaf and dumb, nor shall any portion of the real estate be aliened, sold, or conveyed, except under the authority of a special act of Congress.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That so much of the act of February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, as allows the payment of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum for the maintenance and tuition of each pupil admitted by order of the Secretary of the Interior be, and the same is hereby, repealed.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That the number of students in the collegiate department from the several States, as authorized by the act of March second, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, shall be increased from ten to twenty-five in number.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, for the purposes hereinafter expressed, for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For the support of the institution, including one thousand dollars for books and illustrative apparatus, twelve thousand and five hundred dollars.

For the proper inclosure, improvement, and enlargement of the grounds of the institution, in accordance with plans heretofore submitted to Congress, three thousand six hundred dollars. * * *

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That the superintendent of the said Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb shall, at the commencement of every December

session of Congress, make a full and complete statement of all the expenditures made by virtue of any appropriations by Congress. Said statement shall include the amount paid to said superintendent, and also for teachers, to whom paid, and the rate at which paid.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1860, 40th Cong., 3d sess. (15 Stat. L., p. 310).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy, and for other purposes.

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To enable the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the proper maintenance and tuition of the beneficiaries of the United States in the Columbia institution for the Deaf and Dumb, for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, seventeen thousand five hundred dollars.

For the maintenance and tuition of the same, for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy, thirty thousand dollars.

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[Act of July 15, 1870, 41st Cong., 2d sess. (16 Stat. L., p. 294).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and the maintenance of the beneficiaries of the United States, forty thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars: *Provided*, That the number of students in the collegiate department from the several States authorized by the acts of March two, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, and July twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, may be increased to forty; but no student now at said institution, coming from said States under said acts, shall be supported therein by the United States, from and after the thirtieth day of June, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, and no student hereafter coming to said institution from either of said States under said acts and this act shall be supported by the United States during any portion of the time he remains therein.

For completion of the main central building, ninety-four thousand and eighty-seven dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1871, 41st Cong., 3d sess. (16 Stat. L., p. 500).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For the supply of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, the maintenance of the beneficiaries of the United States, and five hundred dollars for books and illustrative apparatus, forty thousand five hundred dollars.

For continuing the work on the inclosure and improving and grading the grounds of the institution, six thousand dollars.

For necessary expenses in the erection, furnishing, and fitting up of the buildings of the institution, in accordance with plans heretofore submitted to Congress, eighteen thousand dollars.

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[Act of May 18, 1872, 42d Cong., 2d sess. (17 Stat. L., p. 131).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the service of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, and for former years, and for other purposes.

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Public works.—Columbia Institute for the Deaf and Dumb: For furnishing and fitting up the buildings of the institution, six thousand dollars.

For repairs of buildings of said institute during fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, three thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of June 10, 1872, 42d Cong., 2d sess. (17 Stat. L., p. 360).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For the support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, the maintenance of the beneficiaries of the United States, and five hundred dollars for books and illustrative apparatus, forty-eight thousand dollars.

For continuing the work on the inclosure, improvement, and grading of the grounds of the institution, six thousand dollars.

To provide for payments due and unpaid on July first, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, on the purchase by the institution of the estate known as Kendall Green, seventy thousand dollars: *Provided*, That before the expenditure of any part of this appropriation, by proper deeds of conveyance, to be approved by the Attorney General of the United States, all the real estate now owned by the said Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb shall be vested in the United States, as trustees, for the sole use and purpose provided in the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf, Dumb, and Blind," approved February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, and the several acts amendatory thereof: *Provided*, That, whenever Congress shall so determine, any part of said estate may be sold, and so much of the proceeds thereof as shall be needful for the purpose shall be applied to reimburse the United States for the expenditure herein provided.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1873, 42d Cong., 3d sess. (17 Stat. L., p. 518).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For the support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, the maintenance of the beneficiaries of the United States, and five hundred dollars for books and illustrative apparatus, forty-eight thousand dollars.

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[Act of June 22, 1874, 43d Cong., 1st sess. (18 Stat. L., p. 143).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in appropriations for the service of the Government for the fiscal years ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three and eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and for other purposes.

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For the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb in the District of Columbia, to enable the trustees of the institution to pay the amount yet due on the purchase of the estate known as Kendall Green, ten thousand six hundred and ninety-seven dollars and forty-six cents, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior.

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[Act of June 23, 1874, 43d Cong., 1st sess. (18 Stat. L., p. 215).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For the support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, the maintenance of the beneficiaries of the United States, and five hundred dollars for books and illustrative apparatus, forty-eight thousand dollars.

For continuing the work on the erection and fitting up the buildings of the institution, in accordance with plans heretofore submitted to Congress, twenty-nine thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1875, 43d Cong., 2d sess. (18 Stat. L., p. 386).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For the support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, the maintenance of the beneficiaries of the United States, and five hundred dollars for books and illustrative apparatus, forty-eight thousand dollars.

For continuing the work on the erection, furnishing, and fitting up the buildings of the institution, in accordance with the plans submitted to Congress, forty thousand dollars.

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[Act of July 31, 1876, 44th Cong., 1st sess. (19 Stat. L., p. 108).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For the support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, the maintenance of the beneficiaries of the United States, and five hundred dollars for books and illustrative apparatus, forty-eight thousand dollars.

For continuing the work on the erection, furnishing, and fitting up the buildings of the institution, in accordance with plans heretofore submitted, and for repairs on buildings already completed, forty thousand dollars.

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[Revised Statutes of the United States, second edition, chap. 5, pp. 941, 942.]

THE COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

SEC. 4859. The corporation created by the act of February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, under the name of the "Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb," shall have perpetual succession, and be capable to take, hold, and enjoy lands, tenements, hereditaments, and personal property, to use a common seal, and to alter the same at pleasure. But no real or personal property shall be held by the corporation, except such as may be necessary to the maintenance and efficient management of the institution.

SEC. 4860. The terms and conditions of the deed of transfer of the funds and property of Washington's Manual-Labor School and Male Orphan Asylum Society of the District of Columbia shall be as obligatory upon the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb as if they formed a part of its charter.

SEC. 4861. No part of the real or personal property now held or hereafter acquired by the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb shall be devoted to any other purpose than the education of the deaf and dumb, nor shall any portion of the real estate be aliened, sold, or conveyed, except under the authority of a special act of Congress.

SEC. 4862. The Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb shall be managed as provided for in its present constitution and such additional regulations as may from time to time be found necessary; but as soon as sufficient contributions shall have been paid in to authorize an election according to the provisions of the constitution the provisional officers therein named shall give notice of a general meeting to the contributors for the election of officers, and the officers elected at such general meeting shall hold their offices for one year and until their successors shall be elected as in the constitution provided, and the constitution may be altered consistently with law in the manner therein provided.

SEC. 4863. In addition to the directors whose appointment has heretofore been provided for by law there shall be three other directors of the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb appointed in the following manner: One Senator by the President of the Senate and two Representatives by the Speaker of the House. These directors shall hold their offices for the term of a single Congress and be eligible to a reappointment.

SEC. 4864. Whenever the Secretary of the Interior is satisfied by evidence produced by the president of the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb that any deaf and dumb person of teachable age, properly belonging to the District of Columbia, is in indigent circumstances and can not command the means to secure an education, it shall be his duty to authorize such person to enter the institution for instruction.

SEC. 4865. Deaf mutes, not exceeding forty in number, residing in the several States and Territories, applying for admission to the collegiate department of the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb, shall be received on the same terms and conditions as those prescribed by law for residents of the District of Columbia, at the discretion of the president of the institution; but no student coming from either of the States shall be supported by the United States during any portion of the time he remains therein.

SEC. 4866. It shall be the duty of the justices of the peace for the District of Columbia to ascertain the names and residences of all deaf and dumb persons within their respective districts; who of them are of teachable age, and also who of them are in indigent circumstances; and to report the same to the president of the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb.

SEC. 4867. The superintendent of the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb shall, at the commencement of every December session of Congress, make a full and complete statement of all the expenditures made by virtue of any appropriations by Congress, including the amounts and the rates paid to the superintendent, and for teachers.

SEC. 4868. It shall be the duty of the president and directors of the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb to report to the Secretary of the Interior the condition of the institution on the first day of July in each year, embracing in the report the number of pupils of each description received and discharged during the preceding year, and the number remaining in the institution; also the branches of knowledge and industry taught, and the progress made therein; also a statement showing the receipts of the institution, and from what sources, and its disbursements, and for what objects.

SEC. 4869. Whenever the Secretary of the Interior is satisfied, by evidence produced by the president of the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb, that any blind person of teachable age can not command the means to secure an education, he may cause such person to be instructed in some institution for the education of the blind, in Maryland, or some other State, at a cost not greater for each pupil than is, or may be for the time being, paid by such State, and to cause the same to be paid out of the Treasury of the United States.

[Act of Mar. 3, 1877, 44th Cong., 2d sess. (19 Stat. L., p. 347).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For the support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, the maintenance of the beneficiaries of the United States, and five hundred dollars for the books and illustrative apparatus, forty-eight thousand dollars. And the accounting officers of the Treasury are hereby authorized in the settlement of the accounts of the disbursing agent for the said institution, to give credit for voucher No. five in the first quarter of eighteen hundred and seventy-six, and for vouchers Nos. forty-one and fifty-eight in the second quarter of the same year; said vouchers being receipts for moneys paid for fuel for the use of said institution, if the said accounting officers shall find that said vouchers were for expenditures made for the benefit of said institution.

For the completion of the work on the erection, furnishing, and fitting up the buildings of the institution in accordance with plans heretofore submitted, and for repairs on buildings already completed, sixty-nine thousand five hundred and twenty-four dollars and sixty-two cents.

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[Act of Dec. 15, 1877, 45th Cong., 2d sess. (20 Stat. L., p. 12).]

An Act To provide for deficiencies in the appropriations for the service of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

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For fitting up and furnishing the new buildings of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, being a deficiency for the fiscal year eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, twenty-five hundred dollars.

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[Act of June 20, 1878, 45th Cong., 2d sess. (20 Stat. L., p. 231).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses, Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb: For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and five hundred dollars for books and illustrative apparatus, fifty-one thousand dollars.

For furniture and repairs of fences and walks, five thousand dollars; which shall be immediately available.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1879, 45th Cong., 3d sess. (20 Stat. L., p. 395).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses, Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb: For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and five hundred dollars for books and illustrative apparatus, fifty thousand dollars.

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[Act of June 16, 1880, 46th Cong., 2d sess. (21 Stat. L., pp. 275, 276).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, and for other purposes.

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Current expenses, Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb: For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and five hundred dollars for books and illustrative apparatus and two thousand five hundred dollars for general repairs, fifty-three thousand five hundred dollars: *Provided*, That when any indigent applicant for admission to the institution belonging to the District of Columbia, and being of teachable age, is found, on examination by the president of the institution, to be of feeble mind, and hence incapable of receiving instruction among children of sound mind, the Secretary of the Interior may cause such person to be instructed in some institution for the education of feeble-minded children in Pennsylvania, or some other State, at a cost not greater for each pupil than is, or may be for the time being, paid by such State for similar instruction, and the sum necessary therefor is appropriated out of such sum above provided for current expenses of the institution.

For erection and fitting up of a gymnasium for the use of the students and pupils, five thousand dollars, and for the improvement and inclosure of the grounds of the institution, two thousand five hundred dollars; in all, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 31, 1881, 46th Cong., 3d sess. (21 Stat. L., p. 452).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses, Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb: For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and five hundred dollars for books and illustrative apparatus, and two thousand five hundred dollars for general repairs, fifty-three thousand five hundred dollars.

Buildings and grounds, Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb: For the completion and fitting up of the gymnasium, eight thousand two hundred and forty-two dollars and seven cents; for the erection of a farm barn, two thousand dollars; in all, ten thousand two hundred and forty-two dollars and seven cents.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

[Act of Aug. 7, 1882, 47th Cong., 1st sess. (22 Stat. L., p. 330).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb: For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and for books and illustrative apparatus, for general repairs, and improvements, fifty-five thousand dollars: *Provided*, That no more than twenty-two thousand dollars of said sum shall be expended for salaries and wages.

For buildings and grounds of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb: For the completion of the farm barn, two thousand dollars; and for the inclosure and improvement of the grounds of the institution, one thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1883, 47th Cong., 2d sess. (22 Stat. L., pp. 625-626).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb: For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and for books and illustrative apparatus, for general repairs, and improvements, fifty-five thousand dollars: *Provided*, That no more than twenty-five thousand dollars of said sum shall be expended for salaries and wages: *Provided further*, Hereafter the report of said institution shall contain an itemized statement of all employees, the salaries or wages, respectively, each of them, and also of all other expenses of said institution.

For the improvement and inclosure of the grounds and repairs of buildings, three thousand dollars.

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[Act of July 7, 1884, 48th Cong., 1st sess. (23 Stat. L., pp. 213-214).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-five, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb: For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and for books and illustrative apparatus, for general repairs, and improvements, fifty-five thousand dollars: *Provided*, That not more than twenty-five thousand dollars of said sum shall be expended for salaries and wages.

For the improvement and inclosure of the grounds and repairs of buildings, three thousand dollars.

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[Act of July 7, 1884, 48th Cong., 1st sess. (23 Stat. L., p. 255).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, and for prior years, and for those certified as due by the accounting officers of the Treasury in accordance with section four of the act of June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, heretofore paid from permanent appropriations, and for other purposes.

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For current expenses, Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, eighteen hundred and eighty-one and prior years, thirty-nine cents.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1885, 48th Cong., 2d sess. (23 Stat. L., p. 501).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-six, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb: For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and for books and illustrative apparatus, for general repairs, and improvements, fifty-five thousand dollars: *Provided*, That no more than twenty-five thousand dollars of said sum shall be expended for salaries and wages.

For the extension of the buildings of the institution for the purpose of providing additional schoolroom accommodation, seventeen thousand dollars.

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[Act of Aug. 4, 1886, 49th Cong., 1st sess. (24 Stat. L., pp. 241-242).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and for books and illustrative apparatus, for general repairs and improvements, fifty-two thousand five hundred dollars: *Provided*, That no more than twenty-five thousand dollars of said sum shall be expended for salaries and wages.

To enable the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the education of feeble-minded children belonging to the District of Columbia, as provided for in the act approved June sixteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For the extension of the buildings of the institution for the purpose of providing additional schoolroom accommodation and also room for the instruction of the pupils in industrial labor, and for furnishing and fitting up said additional building, eight thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1887, 49th Cong., 2d sess. (24 Stat. L., p. 528).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and for books and illustrative apparatus, for general repairs and improvements, fifty-two thousand five hundred dollars: *Provided*, That no more than twenty-five thousand dollars of said sum shall be expended for salaries and wages.

To enable the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the education of feeble-minded children belonging to the District of Columbia, as provided for in the act approved June sixteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty, two thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of Feb. 1, 1888, 50th Cong., 1st sess. (25 Stat. L., p. 13).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For the support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and for books and illustrative apparatus, for general repairs and improvements, two thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 30, 1888, 50th Cong., 1st sess. (25 Stat. L., p. 54).]

An Act To provide for certain of the most urgent deficiencies in the appropriations for the service of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, and for other purposes.

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Current expenses, Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For current expenses for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, in addition to the amount already appropriated, two thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of Oct. 2, 1888, 50th Cong., 1st sess. (25 Stat. L., pp. 527-528).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, and for other purposes.

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Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs, and improvements, fifty-two thousand five hundred dollars: *Provided*, That no more than twenty-five thousand dollars of said sum shall be expended for salaries and wages.

To enable the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the education of feeble-minded children belonging to the District of Columbia, as provided for in the act approved June sixteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty, two thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 2, 1889, 50th Cong., 2d sess. (25 Stat. L., p. 921).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, and for prior years and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institute for the Deaf and Dumb.—For the support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, two thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 2, 1889, 50th Cong., 2d sess. (25 Stat. L., pp. 961-962).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty-five thousand dollars: *Provided*, That of the above sum no more shall be expended for salaries and wages in this institution during the fiscal year eighteen hundred and ninety than shall, with the payments from other sources, make a total for such salaries and wages for said year of twenty-eight thousand dollars in all: *Provided further*, That one-half of all expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to said institution from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, shall be paid from the revenues of the District of Columbia and one-half out of the Treasury of the United States, and hereafter estimates for such expenses shall each year be submitted in the regular estimates for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia: *And provided further*, That deaf-mutes, not exceeding sixty in number, admitted to this institution from the several States and Territories, as provided in section forty-eight hundred and sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, shall only have the expenses of their instruction in the collegiate department, exclusive of support, paid from appropriations made for the support of the institution.

To enable the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the education of feeble-minded children belonging to the District of Columbia, as provided for in the act approved June sixteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty, two thousand five hundred dollars, one-half of this sum to be paid out of the revenues of the District of Columbia and one-half out of the Treasury of the United States.

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[Act of Aug. 6, 1890, 51st Cong., 1st sess. (26 Stat. L., p. 308).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, and for other purposes.

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For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of Aug. 30, 1890, 51st Cong., 1st sess. (26 Stat. L., pp. 392-393).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, and for books and illustrative apparatus and for general repairs and improvements, forty-seven thousand five hundred dollars.

Provided, That deaf-mutes, not exceeding sixty in number, admitted to this institution from the several States and Territories under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-five of the Revised Statutes shall have the expenses of their instruction in the collegiate department paid from this appropriation, together with so much of the expense of their support when indigent and while in the institution as may be authorized by the board of trustees, with the approval of the Secretary of the Interior; and hereafter there shall not be admitted to said institution under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, nor shall there be maintained after such admission, at any one time from any State or Territory exceeding three deaf-mutes while there are applications pending from deaf-mutes, citizens of States or Territories having less than three pupils in said institution: *Provided further*, That hereafter there shall be included in the annual Book of Estimates a statement showing the number of persons employed each year in this institution and the compensation paid to each.

To enable the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the education of feeble-minded children belonging to the District of Columbia as provided for in the act approved June sixteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty, three thousand four hundred dollars. One-half of this sum shall be paid out of the revenues of the District of Columbia and one-half out of the Treasury of the United States, and hereafter the estimates for this expense shall each year be submitted in the annual estimates for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia.

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[Act of Sept. 30, 1890, 51st Cong., 1st sess. (26 Stat. L., p. 522).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For salaries and wages, in addition to the amount already allowed, two thousand five hundred and thirty-one dollars and ninety-nine cents.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1891, 51st Cong., 2d sess. (26 Stat. L., p. 973).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus and for general repairs and improvements, fifty thousand five hundred

dollars, three thousand dollars of which to be expended in the employment of instructors of articulation.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1891, 51st Cong., 2d sess. (26 Stat. L., p. 1077).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two, and for other purposes.

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For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and all disbursements for this object, beginning with the current fiscal year, shall be accounted for through the Department of the Interior.

To enable the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the education of feeble-minded children belonging to the District of Columbia as provided for in the act approved June sixteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty, three thousand four hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of July 14, 1892, 52d Cong., 1st sess. (27 Stat. L., p. 164).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, and for other purposes.

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FOR INSTRUCTION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and all disbursements for this object shall be accounted for through the Department of the Interior.

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[Act of Aug. 5, 1892, 52d Cong., 1st sess. (27 Stat. L., p. 372).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty thousand five hundred dollars, three thousand dollars of which to be expended in the employment of instructors of articulation.

For buildings and grounds as follows :

For inclosure, care, and improvement of grounds, and for repairs of buildings, including repairs of heating apparatus, plumbing, and sewerage, two thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1893, 52d Cong., 2d sess. (27 Stat. L., p. 551).]

An Act Making appropriations for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, and for other purposes.

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FOR INSTRUCTION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and all disbursements for this object shall be accounted for through the Department of the Interior.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1893, 52d Cong., 2d sess. (27 Stat. L., p. 595).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty-two thousand five hundred dollars, three thousand dollars of which to be expended in the employment of instructors of articulation.

For completion of inclosure of grounds, one thousand dollars.

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[Act of Aug. 7, 1894, 53d Cong., 2d sess. (28 Stat. L., p. 259).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, and for other purposes.

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For instruction of the deaf and dumb.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and all disbursements for this object shall be accounted for through the Department of the Interior.

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[Act of Aug. 18, 1894, 53d Cong., 2d sess. (28 Stat. L., p. 299).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

For special repairs to the buildings and to complete the inclosure of the grounds, one thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 2, 1895, 53d Cong., 3d sess. (28 Stat. L., p. 761).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-six, and for other purposes.

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FOR INSTRUCTION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and all disbursements for this object shall be accounted for through the Department of the Interior.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1895, 53d Cong., 3d sess. (28 Stat. L., p. 941).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-six, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb: For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

For special repairs to the buildings and for the improvement of the grounds, one thousand dollars.

For additional building, complete, thirty thousand dollars.

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[Act of June 11, 1896, 54th Cong., 1st sess. (29 Stat. L., p. 409).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, and for other purposes.

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FOR INSTRUCTION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and all disbursements for this object shall be accounted for through the Department of the Interior.

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[Act of June 11, 1896, 54th Cong., 1st sess. (29 Stat. L., p. 437).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty-four thousand five hundred dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution and for the furnishing of the new buildings provided for by act approved March second, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, three thousand dollars.

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[Act of Jan. 26, 1897, 54th Cong., 2d sess. (29 Stat. L., 499).]

An Act To incorporate the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Edward M. Gallaudet, of Washington, in the District of Columbia; Francis D. Clarke, of Flint, in the State of Michigan; S. Tefft Walker, of Jacksonville, in the State of Illinois; James L. Smith, of Faribault, in the State of Minnesota; Sarah Fuller, of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts; David C. Dudley, of Colorado Springs, in the State of Colorado, and John R. Dolyns, of Jackson, in the State of Mississippi, officers and members of the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf, and their associates and successors be, and they are hereby, incorporated and made a body politic and corporate in the District of Columbia by the name of the "Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf," for the promotion of the education of the deaf on the broadest, most advanced, and practical lines; and by that name it may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded in any court of law or equity, and may have and use a common seal and change the same at pleasure.

SEC. 2. That the said corporation shall have the power to take and hold personal estate and such real estate as shall be necessary and proper for the promotion of the educational and benevolent purposes of said corporation, which shall not be divided among the members of the corporation, but shall descend to their successors for the promotion of the objects aforesaid.

SEC. 3. That said corporation shall have a constitution and regulations or by-laws and shall have power to amend the same at pleasure: *Provided*, that such constitution and regulations or by-laws do not conflict with the laws of the United States or of any State.

SEC. 4. That said association may hold its meetings in such places as said incorporators shall determine, and shall report to Congress, through the president of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb at Washington, District of Columbia, such portion of its proceedings and transactions as its officers shall deem to be of general public interest and value concerning the education of the deaf.

[Act of Mar. 3, 1897, 54th Cong., 2d sess. (29 Stat. L., p. 681).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and for other purposes.

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FOR INSTRUCTION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and all disbursements for this object shall be accounted for through the Department of the Interior.

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[Act of June 4, 1897, 55th Cong., 1st sess. (30 Stat. L., p. 28).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and for other purposes.

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Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the deaf and dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty-four thousand five hundred dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution and to provide for increased water supply and protection against fire, three thousand dollars.

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[Act of July 19, 1897, 55th Cong., 1st sess. (30 Stat. L., p. 127).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For repairs of damages to buildings occasioned by the hurricane of September, eighteen hundred and ninety-six, being for the fiscal year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, seven hundred and sixty-five dollars.

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[Act of June 30, 1898, 55th Cong., 2d sess. (30 Stat. L., p. 540).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for other purposes.

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FOR INSTRUCTION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and all disbursements for this object shall be accounted for through the Department of the Interior.

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[Act of July 1, 1898, 55th Cong., 2d sess. (30 Stat. L., p. 624).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for other purposes.

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Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty-four thousand five hundred dollars: *Provided*, That directors appointed under the provisions of section forty-eight hundred and sixty-three of the Revised Statutes of the United States shall remain in office until the appointment and acceptance of office of their successors; and the directors of the institution shall have control of the disbursement of all moneys appropriated by Congress for the benefit of said institution, accounts for which shall be settled and adjusted at the Treasury Department as required by the provisions of section two hundred and thirty-six of the Revised Statutes.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam-heating apparatus, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, three thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1899, 55th Cong., 3d sess. (30 Stat. L., p. 1061).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred, and for other purposes.

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FOR INSTRUCTION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1899, 55th Cong., 3d sess. (30 Stat. L., p. 1101).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred, and for other purposes.

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Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty-four thousand five hundred dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam-heating apparatus, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, three thousand dollars.

Hereafter one-half of the indefinite appropriation to pay for the instruction of the indigent blind children of the District of Columbia, formerly instructed in the Columbia Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf, Dumb, and Blind, shall be paid out of the revenues of the District of Columbia and the other half out of the Treasury of the United States.

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[Act of June 6, 1900, 56th Cong., 1st sess. (31 Stat. L., p. 575).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and one, and for other purposes.

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FOR INSTRUCTION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of June 6, 1900, 56th Cong., 1st sess. (31 Stat. L., p. 620).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and one, and for other purposes.

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Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty-four thousand five hundred dollars: *Provided*, That the number of the beneficiaries in said institution, authorized by the act of August thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety, to be received from the several States and Territories, is hereby increased from sixty to one hundred.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam-heating apparatus, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, three thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 1, 1901, 56th Cong., 2d sess. (31 Stat. L., p. 844).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and two, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary: *Provided*, That hereafter all deaf mutes of teachable age, of good mental capacity, and properly belonging to the District of Columbia shall be received and instructed in said institution, their admission thereto being subject to the approval of the superintendent of public schools in the District of Columbia. And said institution shall not be regarded nor classified as an institution of charity.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1901, 56th Cong., 2d sess. (31 Stat. L., p. 1164).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and two, and for other purposes.

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Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty-six thousand five hundred dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam-heating apparatus, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, three thousand dollars.

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[Act of Feb. 14, 1902, 57th Cong., 1st sess. (32 Stat. L., p. 19).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and two, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, in addition to the amount appropriated for this object in the sundry civil appropriation act approved March third, nineteen hundred and one, said additional expense having been made necessary by the increase in the number of beneficiaries authorized by act of Congress approved June sixth, nineteen hundred, two thousand dollars.

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[Act of June 28, 1902, 57th Cong., 1st sess. (32 Stat. L., p. 457).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and three, and for other purposes.

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Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty-eight thousand five hundred dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam heating apparatus, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, three thousand dollars.

To provide suitable protection against disaster by fire to the buildings of the institution, three thousand two hundred and ninety-one dollars, to be immediately available.

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[Act of July 1, 1902, 57th Cong., 1st sess. (32 Stat. L., p. 606).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and three, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1903, 57th Cong., 2d sess. (32 Stat. L., p. 971).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and four, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1903, 57th Cong., 2d sess. (32 Stat. L., p. 1055).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and three, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, one thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1903, 57th Cong., 2d sess. (32 Stat. L., pp. 1120-1121).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and four, and for other purposes.

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Current expenses of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, fifty-eight thousand five hundred dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, three thousand dollars.

For additions to the buildings of the institution to provide additional accommodations for students and officers, for schoolrooms, and to enlarge the laundry, thirty thousand dollars.

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[Act of Feb. 18, 1904, 58th Cong., 2d sess. (33 Stat. L., p. 31).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and four, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For the support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, one thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of Apr. 27, 1904, 58th Cong. 2d sess. (33 Stat. L., p. 380).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and five, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of Apr. 28, 1904, 58th Cong., 2d sess. (33 Stat. L., p. 488).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and five, and for other purposes.

* * * * *

Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, sixty thousand dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, three thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1905, 58th Cong., 3d sess. (33 Stat. L., p. 901).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and this provision shall apply to appropriations made for the same object for the fiscal years nineteen hundred and four and nineteen hundred and five, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. And the directors of said institution are hereby authorized to provide for the education of colored deaf-mute children properly belonging to the District of Columbia, in the Maryland School for Colored Deaf-Mutes, or some other suitable school, at a cost not exceeding the per capita expense of educating the State pupils in such school.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1905, 58th Cong., 3d sess. (33 Stat. L., p. 1189).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, sixty thousand dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, three thousand dollars.

For additions to the buildings of the institution, to furnish additional accommodations for pupils, and to provide for the heating of the buildings from a central plant, and for lighting the buildings by electricity, thirty thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1905, 58th Cong., 3d sess. (33 Stat. L., p. 1235).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and five, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For the support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and five, two thousand five hundred dollars.

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[Act of Feb. 27, 1906, 59th Cong., 1st sess. (34 Stat. L., p. 37).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For the maintenance and tuition of colored deaf-mutes of teachable age belonging to the District of Columbia in the Maryland School for Colored Deaf-Mutes, as authorized by an act of Congress approved March third, nineteen hundred and five, four thousand five hundred dollars, one-half of this amount to be paid from the revenues of the District of Columbia and one-half from any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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[Act of June 27, 1906, 59th Cong., 1st sess. (34 Stat. L., p. 503).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and seven, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. And the directors of said institution are hereby authorized to provide for the education of colored deaf-mute children properly belonging to the District of Columbia in the Maryland School for Colored Deaf-Mutes, or some other suitable school, at a cost not exceeding the per capita expense of educating the State pupils in such school.

For the maintenance and tuition of colored deaf-mutes of teachable age belonging to the District of Columbia in the Maryland School for Colored Deaf-Mutes, as authorized in an act of Congress approved March third, nineteen hundred and five, six thousand and fifty dollars.

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[Act of June 30, 1906, 59th Cong., 1st sess. (31 Stat. L., p. 731).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and seven, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, sixty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, five thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 2, 1907, 59th Cong., 2d sess. (31 Stat. L., p. 1142).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the Government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eight, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the maintenance and tuition of colored deaf-mutes of teachable age belonging to the District of Columbia in the Maryland School for Colored Deaf-Mutes, as authorized in an act of Congress approved March third, nineteen hundred and five, six thousand and fifty dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 4, 1907, 59th Cong., 2d sess. (34 Stat. L., p. 1338).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eight, and for other purposes.

Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, sixty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, five thousand dollars.

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[Act of May 26, 1908, 60th Cong., 1st sess. (35 Stat. L., p. 295).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and nine, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of May 27, 1908, 60th Cong., 1st sess. (35 Stat. L., p. 352).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and nine, and for other purposes.

* * * * *

Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, sixty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, five thousand dollars.

For the proper inclosure of the grounds of the institution and the grading made necessary by the opening of West Virginia Avenue on the eastern boundary of the grounds, five thousand dollars.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1901, 60th Cong., 2d sess. (35 Stat. L., p. 710).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and ten, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For expense attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, ten thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of Mar. 4, 1909, 60th Cong., 2d sess. (35 Stat. L., p. 991).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and ten, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, sixty-five thousand dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, five thousand dollars.

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[Act of May 18, 1910, 61st Cong., 2d sess. (36 Stat. L., p. 398).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eleven, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four, of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of June 25, 1910, 61st Cong., 2d sess. (36 Stat. L., p. 746).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eleven, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, sixty-seven thousand dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, five thousand dollars.

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[Act of June 25, 1910, 61st Cong., 2d sess. (36 Stat. L., p. 796).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and ten, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—To provide for the rebuilding of the west dormitory, which has lately been partially destroyed by fire, twenty-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to continue available during the fiscal year nineteen hundred and eleven.

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[Act of Mar. 2, 1911, 61st Cong., 3d sess. (36 Stat. L., p. 989).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twelve, and for other purposes.

* * * * *

Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the Act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, eleven thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of Mar. 4, 1911, 61st Cong., 3d sess. (36 Stat. L., p. 1309).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and eleven, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR DEAF AND DUMB.

The expenditures incurred during the current fiscal year for furnishing and equipping the western dormitory of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, partially destroyed by fire February sixth, nineteen hundred and ten, and for resurfacing asphalt walks and driveways adjacent thereto, may be paid from the appropriation available for the current year for rebuilding of the western dormitory.

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[Act of Mar. 4, 1911, 61st Cong., 3d sess. (36 Stat. L., p. 1422).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twelve, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, sixty-six thousand five hundred dollars.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, five thousand dollars.

For the building of a new dairy barn to accommodate thirty cows; for the construction of a milk house and silo; for the repair of present barns and stable; and for adding to and altering the greenhouse, twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

From and after the passage of this act the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb shall be known and designated as the Columbia Institution for the Deaf.

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[Act of June 26, 1912, 62d Cong., 1st sess. (37 Stat. L., p. 162).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and thirteen, and for other purposes.

* * * * *

Columbia Institution for the Deaf.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, eleven thousand five hundred and fifty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of Aug. 24, 1912, 62d Cong., 1st sess. (37 Stat. L., p. 461).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and thirteen, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, \$66,500.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, \$5,000.

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[Act of Mar. 4, 1913, 62d Cong., 3d sess. (37 Stat. L., p. 917).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and thirteen, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf.—For additional amount required for expenses attending the instruction of deaf persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, \$700.

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[Act of Mar. 4, 1913, 62d Cong., 3d sess. (37 Stat. L., p. 958).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fourteen, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, \$11,900, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of June 23, 1913, 63d Cong., 1st sess. (38 Stat. L., p. 50).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fourteen, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, for books and illustrative apparatus, and for general repairs and improvements, \$66,500.

For repairs to the buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, \$5,000.

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[Act of Apr. 6, 1914, 63d Cong., 2d sess. (38 Stat. L., p. 322).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fourteen, and for prior years, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illustrative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements, \$3,000.

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[Act of July 21, 1914, 63d Cong., 2d sess. (38 Stat. L., p. 537).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifteen, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the commissioners, \$12,250, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

[Act of Aug. 1, 1914, 63d Cong., 2d sess. (38 Stat. L., p. 650).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifteen, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illustrative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements, \$70,000.

For repairs to buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, \$6,000.

For special repairs and improvements, lighting, heating, and power system, \$21,000.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1915, 63d Cong., 3d sess. (38 Stat. L., p. 864).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and sixteen, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illustrative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements, \$70,000.

For repairs to buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, \$6,000.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1915, 63d Cong., 3d sess. (38 Stat. L., p. 911).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and sixteen, and for other purposes.

* * * * *

Columbia Institution for the Deaf.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the commissioners, \$12 250, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of July 1, 1916, 64th Cong., 1st sess. (39 Stat. L., p. 310).]

An Act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and seventeen, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illustrative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements, \$70,000.

For repairs to buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, \$6,000.

For the construction of a new sewer from farm to West Virginia Avenue, for a twenty-five horsepower engine and direct-connected fifteen-kilowatt generator for power plant, and for additional machinery for the shop, \$2,400.

For the removal of the college women's dormitory and the construction, equipment, and furnishing of a new dormitory, necessary repairs, or replacement of walks and grading of grounds adjacent to said dormitory, including all material, personal and other services, and for each and every purpose in connection therewith, to be expended under the direction of the Superintendent of the Capitol Building and Grounds, \$90,000, not more than \$3,000 of which may be used for providing temporary quarters, through rental or otherwise, for the use of students and officers of the institution.

Upon the passage of this act the title to all that parcel of land lying between the west boundary of West Virginia Avenue, said avenue now being laid out with a width of sixty-six feet, and the east boundary of the grounds of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf, said parcel of land fronting on Florida Avenue about ten and one-half feet and containing one-tenth of an acre, more or less, and being formerly part of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad right of way, shall be vested in the Columbia Institution for the Deaf, United States of America, trustee, and the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized and directed to issue a patent for the said parcel of land to the said Columbia Institution for the Deaf.

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[Act of Sept. 1, 1916, 64th Cong., 1st sess. (39 Stat. L., p. 699).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and seventeen, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the commissioners, \$13,200, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of Sept. 8, 1916, 64th Cong., 1st sess. (39 Stat. L., p. 806).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and sixteen, and prior fiscal years, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the commissioners, \$672.13.

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[Ibid, p. 818]:

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For additional amount for the removal of the college women's dormitory, and the construction, equipment, and furnishing of a new dormitory, necessary repairs or replacement of walks and grading of grounds adjacent to said dormitory, including all material, personal and other services, and for each and every purpose in connection therewith, to be expended under the direction of the Superintendent of the Capitol Building and Grounds, fiscal year nineteen hundred and seventeen, \$53,000.

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[Act of Mar. 3, 1917, 64th Cong., 2d sess. (39 Stat. L., p. 1027).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eighteen, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the commissioners, \$15,200, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of Apr. 17, 1917, 65th Cong., 1st sess. (40 Stat. L., p. 7).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and seventeen, and prior fiscal years, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the commissioners, \$2,175, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of June 12, 1917, 65th Cong., 1st sess. (40 Stat. L., p. 153).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eighteen, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illustrative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements, \$71,500.

For repairs to buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, \$6,000.

For the purchase and installation of typesetting and type-casting machinery, cylinder press, job press, stitching machine, type metal, and other necessary office fixtures and machinery for the complete equipment of a modern printing office to be used for the instruction of students and pupils of the institution, \$7,000.

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[Act of Oct. 6, 1917, 65th Cong., 1st sess. (40 Stat. L., p. 373).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eighteen, and prior fiscal years, on account of war expenses, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For additional amount for the removal of the college women's dormitory, and the construction, equipment, and furnishing of a new dormitory, necessary repairs or replacement of walks and grading of grounds adjacent to said dormitory, including all materials, personal and other services, and for each and every purpose in connection therewith, to be expended under the direction of the Superintendent of the Capitol Building and Grounds, \$21,000.

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[Act of Mar. 28, 1918, 65th Cong., 2d sess. (40 Stat. L., p. 491).]

An Act Making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eighteen, and prior fiscal years, on account of war expenses, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illustrative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements, \$6,000.

For additional for the removal of the college women's dormitory, and the construction, equipment, and furnishing of a new dormitory, necessary repairs or replacement of walks and grading of grounds adjacent to said dormitory, including all material, personal and other services, and for each and every purpose in connection therewith, to be expended under the direction of the Superintendent of the Capitol Building and Grounds, \$18,500.

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[Act of July 1, 1918, 65th Cong., 2d sess. (40 Stat. L., p. 680).]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and nineteen, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illustrative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements, \$82,000.

For repairs to buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, \$6,000.

The number of beneficiaries in said institution authorized by the act of June sixth, nineteen hundred (Thirty-first Statutes, page six hundred and twenty), to be received from the several States and Territories, is increased from one hundred to one hundred and twenty-five.

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[Act of Aug. 31, 1918, 65th Cong., 2d sess. (40 Stat. L., p. 937).]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the Government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and nineteen, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, under section forty-eight hundred and sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March first, nineteen hundred and one, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the commissioners, \$16,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of July 11, 1919, 66th Cong., 1st sess.—Public, No. 5.]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919, and prior fiscal years, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illustrative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements, \$3,000.

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[Act of July 11, 1919, 66th Cong., 1st sess.—Public, No. 6.]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the Government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920, and for other purposes..

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, under section 4864 of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the Act approved March 1, 1901, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the commissioners, \$18,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of July 19, 1919, 66th Cong., 1st sess.—Public, No. 21.]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illustrative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements, \$85,000.

For repairs to buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, \$7,500.

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[Act of Nov. 4, 1919, 66th Cong., 1st sess.—Public, No. 73.]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920, and prior fiscal years, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For repairs to the cottage damaged by fire on August 26, 1919, \$2,000.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

[Act of Mar. 6, 1920, 66th Cong., 2d sess.—Public, No. 155.]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920, and prior fiscal years, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illustrative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements, \$8,000.

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[Act of June 5, 1920, 66th Cong., 2d sess.—Public, No. 245.]

An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, under section 4864 of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March 1, 1901, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the commissioners, \$20,250, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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[Act of June 5, 1920, 66th Cong., 2d sess.—Public No. 246.]

An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921, and for other purposes.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For support of the institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illustrative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements, \$90,000.

For repairs to buildings of the institution, including plumbing and steam fitting, and for repairs to pavements within the grounds, \$8,500.

For painting and equipping new women's dormitory building, and finishing grading and walks adjacent thereto, \$5,000.

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[Act of June 5, 1920, 66th Cong., 2d sess.—Public No. 261.]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920, and prior fiscal years, and for other purposes.

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Columbia Institution for the Deaf.—For expenses attending the instruction of deaf and dumb persons admitted to the Columbia Institution for the Deaf from the District of Columbia, under section 4864 of the Revised Statutes, and as provided for in the act approved March 1, 1901, and under a contract to be entered into with the said institution by the commissioners, \$1,800, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

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COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF.

For repairs at main power plant, including installation of new boiler tubes and of mechanical stokers, \$6,500.

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APPENDIX D.

ADDRESS OF HON. LESLIE M. SHAW.

MR. SHAW. Mr. President, members of the board, distinguished guests, ladies, and gentlemen: Mark Twain records that he once called at the White House to meet the President, then Gen. Grant. They were introduced. Grant said nothing. Mark Twain could think of nothing to say. So he said "I am embarrassed. Are you?"

It is true that I became interested in schools like this some years ago but I did not learn to talk this language, but I know enough of human nature to know that every one desires to succeed in life and I know enough also to know that every one knows how. It would be foolish for me to attempt to tell these young people how to succeed, for even those little fellows back there know all the essentials and, yet, the majority of them will fail.

You know, it is claimed that 9 out of 10 of the people of the world are dependent upon their children to take care of them after they are 65 or rather 60 years of age. So, you see what you have to do as your children get older, and what your children will have to do when you get old.

If I were to ask these boys and girls how to succeed they would probably tell me to work. There are a great many people just now who would like to succeed in some other way. Just at the present time work is unpopular. I said to one of the professors here to-day: "My criticism of the educational system of this country is that they teach that work is honorable and very undesirable." The whole atmosphere of the schoolroom is that if you get some education you will never need any left-hand to give bread to your mouth.

I don't know how he is succeeding. Are you going along all right?

PRESIDENT HALL. Yes.

MR. SHAW. Well, I congratulate you. You know, I don't know whether you people understand it or not, but there is a saying that you can live from hand to mouth while you are young, but the distance will increase as you get older, and you will find it a long way from hand to mouth after you are 60, unless you have something saved up.

Of course, it is very disreputable in these days to save anything up, but if you should save something by it will come in very handy in after years.

I told you a moment ago it would be necessary to work. I don't know what you people know about industry, but I am not the only one present who was reared when industry was not only popular but universal.

And, I am going to say to you girls, for I am an expert. I have either touched or seen life at every angle. I will not take your time to tell you some of the angles at which I have touched life with my naked hands, but as an expert I am going to tell you that the happy people of this world—women, as well as men—are those who rise to daily tasks, those who have something to do. Now, I know, I have seen them. I know the women who are not happy, some of them, not as many as I wish I knew, but a woman doesn't get much happiness out of life when she rises in the morning and wonders what she is going to do all day—whether it will be the automobile, the yacht, or a bridge party, or whether she will go down town and buy another hat.

I know a lady who buys an average of two hats a month, costing from fifty to two hundred dollars a hat, but I am going to tell all of you good people that there is no happiness in buying two hats a month. I know how a woman gets happiness in buying a hat. She goes down and looks one over and says: "This is a little too expensive." She looks at another one. Finally, she buys one that is a little too expensive and gets up in the night and looks at that hat. That is the way to get happiness out of a hat. Happiness comes from tasks performed and the little rewards that come out of them.

My friend told you that I was once governor of my State. That is true, and it was during the time of the Spanish War and I appointed two surgeons to assist my surgeon in examining four regiments of soldiers for the war and I selected surgeons with more than State reputations. One of them I had seen going by in his carriage a hundred times, but I never saw him through the carriage door that he was not studying, and the other surgeon I had called upon twice at midnight and unannounced, and I found him in his office, working at midnight.

Now, I want you to keep this in mind: that this world keeps a one-price store. Whoever pays the price gets the goods, and I am telling you that the price that those two men paid for a reputation in their profession reaches beyond the State in which they lived.

I told this one time down in Pennsylvania some place and this occurred out in Des Moines and a man in the audience down in Pennsylvania said: "Was that Dr. Priestley?" I said, "Yes." They had heard of him.

I will give you one more. I could give you a thousand just as well.

Senator Hanna—I don't know how you put that in the sign language—Senator Hanna told me that he one time had an occasion to call upon Phil Armour. He didn't tell me what it was about, but it was in 1896. A few of these girls over here and one or two of the boys know what I mean.

He said he called at 1 o'clock by appointment. He found the great packer in the barber's chair, eating his lunch and dictating to a stenographer. It was the only leisure time he had. Now, you boys and girls don't need to work like that if you don't want to. I am only telling you the price that Phil Armour paid for writing his name under every sky and in every language.

There are no bargain counters for those goods. Whoever pays the price gets the goods.

Now, my wife—my wife and I are on speaking terms and she is the best woman in the world and always gives good advice. She asked me last night if I was preparing a speech. I told her no, I didn't have any more idea what I would say than she had. So when I left to-day she said, "Don't talk very long."

And I am not going to stop yet. I don't know when I will get another chance to talk to as nice a bunch of boys and girls as you are and the only hope in the world in the way of talking is talking to young people. You waste your time to talk to these [indicating persons on platform]. But there is some hope in a bunch of young people like this. So I am going to tell you this story. I don't know whether it is true or not. It is not original. I like to think that it is true.

The owner of Axtell—and you young people don't remember Axtell—Axtell was a trotting horse and a wonder in his day. The owner of Axtell was very proud of him. He said, "In the first place, the best blood of all the trotting racers is in his veins." A great trick, Doctor, to have good ancestors. And I want you to be careful about that, and then I want you to be careful also that your children have good ancestors.

And the owner of Axtell said of him, "Besides that, he is a good individual. He is well built. He has good muscles, good limbs, a good head, good nostrils."

It's a great thing to have a good physique, to be of comely appearance. That is self-evident. It is a great thing to have a good, presentable physique.

And then he said of Axtell, "He has always had good environments, good surroundings. He has never stood in the stable except with thoroughbreds, and he has never run in the pasture with scrubs."

It is a good thing to have good environments and associates. You will have more to say and more to do about choosing your associates than you will your ancestors, but one is quite as important as the other.

Then the owner put Axtell in a school. He got a trainer for him and Axtell did pretty well. He did as well as the other "kids"; kept up with his class; but Axtell wouldn't do as well as he might do, and so the owner became dissatisfied and took him out of that school and put him in another school. They do that with horses. But Axtell wouldn't do quite as well as he might. He would keep up with the class but he could always see that he might do better than he was doing. He was what they call a loafer among horses. There are those.

Finally there came a day like this day with these people when the school is over and the owner takes the lines. Axtell did pretty well. I think he got second money at 1 mile, but he might do better.

Until, finally, all out of patience one day the owner rose in the sulky and put poor Axtell under the whip until trying to escape the stinging of the lash he made the happy discovery that he could trot faster than he could run. Charlie Williams brought him back to the stable and said that night, "He is worth \$10,000," but he sold him for \$117,000.

And Axtell was as pleased as his owner when he found out what he could do.

My trip out here to-day will not be lost if I impress upon you good people what wonderful things you can do when you take the lines of your own life and put yourself unmercifully under the whip.

Now, they will think this is a horse story. Well, I can tell men stories from now till morning better than that.

I knew a man in after life who at 19 years of age was a common laborer—just as honorable as anything; not quite as desirable as some things. He couldn't boast of any ancestry and he couldn't boast of his own personal appearance and he couldn't boast of his environment; but by the premature discharge of a cannon one Fourth of July morning he lost his right hand at the wrist and his left hand at a half inch in front of the thumb. Nineteen years of age. No education. But he realized that he had a job on his hands and he started in to get an education.

He told me that he threaded his own needle, sewed on his own buttons, with that naked thumb on his left hand. He was introduced to me at Rutland, Vt., as judge. That was Judge Wayne Bailey. He died president of a bank with many millions on deposit.

Like Axtell, he had discovered what he could do, in spite of all the handicap, by putting himself unmercifully under the lash.

Well, do you know why it is so many people are dissatisfied? We are the best fed, the best clothed, the best housed, the best educated, and the best people on the face of the earth. We have more comforts, far more luxuries, suffer less privations and hardships than any other people, and yet dissatisfied, restless, and unhappy. Why?

I am going to guess in your presence that we have made a mistake with reference to the unit of life's measure. You know if you start out to weigh anything you have got to have a correct measure. If you start out to measure a distance you have got to have a correct yardstick. If you are going to measure human life you want the right standard to measure with. Do you get me? And you somehow thought the only measurement there was was the dollar. If a man didn't have many dollars he didn't amount to very much. Saks said of all mankind, "I classify the lot: Those who have money and those who have not; just two kinds." I wonder if there is anything else? Any other measure that is worth while? I am not going to spend much time on that, but, yyy know, one trouble is that we lose sight of all this difference in aptitude. We don't complain because one fellow has an aptitude for decorative art and another for salt mines, but we complain because one man has an aptitude to make money and the other has not.

We are all of us glad that our civilization will produce a Thomas Edison and we are all unhappy because it produces a John D. Rockefeller. Two wizards. One we are glad to have and the other we are sorry to have. I am not going to discuss it as to which did most for the world. It doesn't matter. But I want you to keep in mind that we are having perhaps the wrong standard.

While I was governor of Iowa I stood on the porch of one of the very humble and very typical Iowa homes one day. Out in the street for more than a block the people stood as thick as they could stand, and as far as I could see I could discern men and women in tears. Why? The man in the casket back of me had walked into Fort Dodge, Iowa, barefooted, when a young man. He was the first teacher in that pioneer town. He married and lived there. Practiced law there. Superintended the schools. County surveyor. Went to the legislature. Went to Congress. Was governor of his State. But in no place, in no one of those positions, did he show any great aptitude or ability.

He was a good teacher; not better than others. A good surveyor. He was a comfortable kind of a lawyer. He didn't do anything bad in the legislature. The records over here at the Congressional Library contain no great speeches that he made. As governor of Iowa he was not even a reformer. He left his State as good as he found it, and a half dozen of his successors couldn't say that.

But the point I am making is this: At no place in his long and useful life did he fall below the high standard of a Christian gentleman, and I just want to leave with you young people this thought. I don't know what you are going to do. I don't know what the world has in store for you, but you will probably get as much out of the world as you put in and you are entitled to no more.

But I want you to know this: That if you perform the tasks that come to you in the great distribution of the world's work, this thing will come to you. Something else will come to the others. You can't tell how it comes. You will get your detail.

If I was to ask the doctor here how it happened that he came here, he wouldn't be able to tell me, perhaps, but it was some little circumstance that turned his tide here instead of somewhere else.

If I would ask these ladies how they happened to meet their husbands, well, just some little circumstance. If I should ask them how it happened that they never met me, they wouldn't be able to tell. I wouldn't either.

John Hay told me once that if he had been out of his office at 5 o'clock on a given day the whole current of his life would have been changed. He intended to go about 5 o'clock. A man friend came in and said, "We have a dinner party at our house. One of the guests can't come. Put on your dress suit and come." He did so, and there he met Miss Stone and married her with her millions. What a splendid detail.

The little circumstances turn the whole current of our lives, and as the work of the world is being divided up, these different tasks come to different people.

The thought I want to leave with you is this: That he who performs those tasks that come to him, whether it be on the farm or in the kitchen, in the office or in public office, who meets these tasks and falls not below the high standard of a Christian gentleman has made success in life, and success measured by that yardstick is within the reach—not the easy reach—but within the reach of every one in this school and every other school.

I thank you. [Applause.]

APPENDIX E.

REGULATIONS.

1. The academic year is divided into three terms, the first beginning on the last Thursday in September and closing on the 24th of December; the second beginning the 29th of December and closing the next to the last Friday in March; the third beginning on the following Monday and closing the Wednesday before the last Wednesday in June.

2. The vacation is from the Wednesday before the last Wednesday in June to the last Thursday in September.

3. There are holidays at Thanksgiving, Christmas, Washington's Birthday, Easter, and Decoration Day.

4. Pupils may visit their homes during the regular vacation period and on the above-named holidays, but at no other time unless for some special urgent reason, and then only by permission of the president.

5. The bills for the maintenance and tuition of pupils supported by their friends must be paid semiannually in advance.

6. The charge for pay pupils is \$400 per annum. This sum covers all expenses in the primary department except clothing and extraordinary medical attention, and all in the college except clothing, books, and extraordinary medical attention.

7. All deaf-mutes of teachable age, of good mental capacity, and properly belonging to the District of Columbia are received without charge. To students from the States and Territories, who have not the means of defraying all the expenses of the college course, the board of directors renders such assistance as circumstances seem to require, so far as the means at its disposal will allow.

8. It is expected that the friends of the pupils will provide them with clothing, and it is important that upon entering or returning to the institution they should be supplied with a sufficient amount for an entire year. All clothing should be plainly marked with the owner's name. The students are required to furnish their own towels.

9. All letters concerning pupils or applications for admission should be addressed to the president.

10. The institution is open to visitors during term time on Thursdays only, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m. Visitors are admitted to chapel service on Sunday afternoons at 3.30 p. m.

